

NO THREAT
INTENDED,
SAYS PREMIER
OF JAPAN

Kiyoura Declares Note of
Hanihara on Immigration
Has Been Misconstrued
in America—Prince Re-
gent Intervenes in Po-
litical Crisis.

TOKIO PAPERS
DENOUNCE SENATE

Americans Declare Yellow
Race Is Not Entitled to
Consideration as Human,
Says One—Yen and
Bonds Drop.

By the Associated Press.
TOKIO, April 18.—Recall of Am-
bassador Hanihara is not con-
templated by the Japanese Gov-
ernment, at least for the present,
Premier Kiyoura told American
correspondents today after a meet-
ing of the Cabinet.

Hanihara's note, containing the
much discussed "grave conse-
quence" phrase, was misconstrued
in America, the Premier declared.
"Close study of the text of the
Ambassador's letter," he explained,
"would convince anyone that it
does not lend itself to an interpreta-
tion as a threat or express any
desire to interfere in American do-
mestic affairs. Fortunately the
loyalty of American newspapers
suffice to understand this and their
comments are sympathetic to Ja-
pan, which is comforting to the
ministry."

Realizing the seriousness of the
situation, the Premier asserted,
the Government has decided to main-
tain a conciliatory attitude and to
do its utmost to bring about a sat-
isfactory solution of the immigra-
tion problem.

"The Japanese exclusion clause
has been passed by both houses,"
he said, "but it lacks the Presi-
dent's signature, which at least is
doubtful."

The Cabinet met not only to dis-
cuss the diplomatic aspects of the
exclusion legislation of America,
but to take cognizance of the do-
mestic and political effects of the
situation. These are threatening to
assume serious proportions.

Attacks on the Government are
threatened by the opposition and it
is also feared higher quarters may
become antagonistic.

Leading journals say that the
Privy Council will demand that the
Government explain the immigration
defeat. If the explanation is
unsatisfactory, it is probable that
an appeal to the throne will be
made.

Reports continue of the immin-
ent arrival in Tokio of Japan's
two remaining elder statesmen—
Matsukata and Saito—who are
expected to take immediate charge
of the situation.

Prince Regent Hirohito is evinc-
ing unusual interest in the im-
migration situation and has sum-
moned Foreign Minister Matsui
and Count Chinda, former Amba-
sador to Washington, to obtain
their explanations. The Prince
has directed the utmost effort
be exerted to effect an amic-
able and satisfactory settlement
of the question.

A growing tendency is manifest-
ed for the public and non-Govern-
ment leaders to turn from their first
shock of resentment against Amer-
ica to denunciation of the Kiyoura
ministry. All the morning news-
papers are of the opinion that Am-
bassador Hanihara will be recalled.
The Foreign Office, however, con-
tinues stoutly to deny this.

Chamber of Commerce Acts.
Definite reactions are coming
from business men whose views on
American exclusion were expressed
by the action of the Tokio Cham-
ber of Commerce yesterday. Resolu-
tions of the Tokio Chamber were
addressed not only to American
bodies, but also to the Government.
They urged further efforts to re-
conciliate America and caused a
revival of congressional action on
exclusion. The Tokio Chamber is
drafting resolutions and a program
for presentation to the national
meeting of Chambers of Commerce
at Kyoto, April 22.

The renewed decline of the yen.
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FAIR TONIGHT AND SATURDAY;
PROBABLY LIGHT FROST

THE TEMPERATURES.
1 a. m. 40 8 a. m. 50
2 a. m. 45 9 a. m. 55
3 a. m. 48 10 a. m. 58
4 a. m. 50 11 a. m. 60
5 a. m. 52 12 Noon 62
6 a. m. 54 1 p. m. 64
7 a. m. 56 2 p. m. 66

Highest yesterday, 64, at 12:10
p. m.; lowest, 48, at 8:30 a. m.

Official fore-
cast for St. Louis
and vicinity:
Fair tonight and
Saturday; not much
change in tem-
perature; prob-
ably light frost
tonight.

Missouri: Fair
tonight and Sat-
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ably light frost
in lowlands.

Illinois: Fair
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in lowlands.

Sun sets Friday at 6:41; rises
Saturday at 5:19.

Stage of the Mississippi River at
St. Louis, 17.2 feet at 7 a. m., rise
of .02.

OBREGON TROOPS OCCUPY
PROGRESO, YUCATAN PORT

Announcement of Victory by Fed-
erals in Rebel Stronghold
Made in Mexico.

By the Associated Press.
VERA CRUZ, Mexico, April 18.—
Gen. Eugenio Martinez, com-
mander of the Federal troops op-
erating against the rebels in the
states of Tabasco, Campeche and
Yucatan, occupied the port of
Progreso, Yucatan, yesterday, it
was announced officially today.

Progreso is the port for Merida,
capital of the State of Yucatan,
where it was reported recently a
new revolutionary republic had
been proclaimed.

ATTEND HISTORIC CEREMONY

Ambassador and Mrs. Kellogg Wit-
ness "Royal Maundy."

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, April 18.—American
Ambassador Kellogg and Mrs. Kel-
logg, accompanied by the Duke
and Duchess of York, attended the
historic ceremony of distributing
the King's "Royal Maundy" yester-
day in Westminster Abbey.

The quaint custom, which dates
from medieval times, consists in
giving to aged and poor people
sums of money in the present cur-
rency. Besides specially-minted
silver coins representing those cur-
rent in past centuries, but no longer
having purchasing power, al-
though treasured as curiosities.

The ceremony included, in an-
cient times, washing the feet of the
recipients, whose number corre-
sponds with the years of the sov-
ereign's life, being yesterday 59.
Nowadays, the washing is merely
symbolized through the presiding
officials being girt with towels.

Walsh to Get Boyhood Ladder.

By the Associated Press.
TWO RIVERS, Wis., April 18.—
Senator Thomas J. Walsh of the
Senate Oil Committee will visit his
old home here in June at the in-
vitation of the American Legion
post, it was announced today. He
will be presented with the ladder
he used as a boy to light the town's
gas lights.

In Next
Sunday's Post-Dispatch

How the Sweet Singer of
Smackover Took Millions
From Oil Suckers—High-
powered salesmanship in
Pat McGee in Federal Court,
where he has to listen to his
own music—the flubdub
that got the investors by the
hundreds.

Former \$27-a-Year Clerk
Opens 500th Store of Chain
in Town Where He Got His
First Job—Fascinating
story of the career of J. C.
Penney, who, with stores in
35 states, kept out of Hamil-
ton, Mo., 22 years so he
wouldn't be a competitor of
his old employer.

Mother of 18 Children Turns
to Adventure at 45; Biga-
mously Weds a Banker—
Carpenter's wife spent her
days with one husband and
nights with the other. Flit-
terings between the two homes
in taxicabs.

A Town's Mystery Which Was
Solved With Ink—What
happened recently when a
real Police Chief asked a
real scientist to help him in the
East.

Order Your Copy
Today

NO CLASS TODAY IN
MISTAH WILLIAMS'
LOTTERY SCHOOL

Police Raid Schoolroom
After Rounding Up 23
Negroes in 'Policy Game'
Inquiry.

'MASTER MIND' NOT
AMONG THOSE TAKEN

Oily-Tongued Agents Sold
Chances on Twentieth
Century Limited, Also
the Big Four and Wabash

The Twentieth Century Limited is
a crack flyer with an honored
name, and the New York Central
had no way of knowing that in St.
Louis' darkroom this egregious title
had been appropriated to the glory
of a "policy game."

What young blood of color could
resist the invitation to "take a ride
with de Twentieth Century?" For
10 or 20 or 50 cents he could buy
a ticket and hold his numbers in
the lottery. He was then of the
inner circle. Or if he was content
with less dazzling words he might
risk his quarters on the Wabash or
the L. C. or the Big Four—policy
games all.

Oily-Tongued Agents.
These four lotteries had been the
bete noir of the police gambling
squad for months past. Their
agents were many and oily-tongued
and the lure of large-sounding
names enticed showers of silver
along Market street and Jefferson
avenue and even spread into East
St. Louis and other Illinois towns.

Last Night Detective Sergeant
Dempsy arrested an agent of the
Twentieth Century in a doorway
on Pine street. He was small and
black and very much frightened.
"Who's running the game?" the
Sergeant demanded.

The prisoner whimpered and
said he didn't know. He finally
came out with "Ah wuks fo' Mistah
Williams."

"Where does he hang out?"
"Don't know exactly, boss. But
if you looks in the 6100 block on
Kimmerly avenue you might find
him."

Door With Peephole.

Headquarters of the Southern
Sales and Distributing Co. at 6126
Minerva avenue, looked suspicious
to the searchers. Dubious pedes-
trians shuffled along, as if waiting
to enter when everything appeared
all right. So Sergt. Dempsy and
his men began arresting every ne-
gro who approached the one and
one-half story frame building that
housed the "firm." All of them
had policy coupons. Most of them
carried considerable cash. One and
all said "Ah wuks fo' Mistah
Williams, Boss. You'll have to see
him."

Sergt. Dempsy and Deputy
Sheriff Kick of St. Louis County
stepped in to see "Mistah Williams."
They found themselves in a
vestibule. They saw a door with
a peephole panned with glass.
Smashing the glass and unlatching
the door, they passed into a small
room.

A larger room was beyond. "Open
that door or we'll shoot the looks
off," the raiders called out. The
door of the big room opened and
two negroes bade them enter.

47 Desks for Agents.

Before their eyes, as treasure
hunters have it, was the scene they
had hoped to see. The headquar-
ters of the Twentieth Century pol-
icy game. The room was arranged
like a schoolroom, with 47 desks
for agents and a "teacher's" desk
for Mistah Williams. In one cor-
ner was a printing press. In an-
other two wheels were for drawing
numbers.

"Where's Williams?" Dempsy
thundered.
But the two negroes said they did
not know. Nor did the 21 men and
two women, arrested by the offi-
cers left outside while the raid was
in progress, seem to know either.
The "Master Mind" had escaped.

Search of the place revealed that
not only did "Mistah Williams" run
the Twentieth Century, but also
the Wabash and the Illinois
Central; also the Big Four. Litera-
ture seized showed that the South-
ern Sales and Distributing Co. sold
lottery tickets "and other articles
of merit." Among the other articles
were 5000 lottery tickets recently
printed. All the negroes arrested
apparently were agents who were
coming in to report to "Mistah
Williams" the results of their day's
work.

Prisoners questioned disclosed
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QUALIFIES SELF AS
EXPERT AND URGES
THAT CITY BUY U. R.

L. R. Bowen, Chief Engi-
neer on Public Buildings
and Bridges, Delves Into
Public Utility Financing.

MAYOR AND KINSEY
EXPRESS SURPRISE

"Never Authorized Him to
Prepare Report on Street
Railway Matters," Says
Public Service Official.

There are experts and experts. L.
R. Bowen is the city's expert on
public building construction, bridge
construction and grade crossings,
his official title being chief engi-
neer of bridges and buildings. No-
body questions that he is an expert
on these matters, and an increase
in his salary from \$5000 to \$6000 a
year is included in the list of such
increases about to be made by the
city.

Bowen is not an expert on street
railway transportation and public
utility financing. At least he is not
officially the city's expert on these
matters and never has been. The
city has a department of public
utilities, and that department has
an expert, Charles E. Smith, who
has made reports and recommen-
dations in the last few years, on
matters of street car routing and a
plan for subway construction.

Delves Into Other Fields.
But Bowen, who has an active
mind, does not confine his thought
and study to the narrow range of
his own official specialties. About
two years ago he made a compilation
of the number of inmates in
city institutions before and since
prohibition, and it was given out
for publication. The figures indi-
cated a decrease up to that time
in the public need for institutional
help, and thus made a favorable
showing for prohibition.

Bowen's boss, President Kinsey
of the Board of Public Service, had
not asked him to make this in-
quiry, and was surprised when the
matter was published, but it is not
known that anything official was
said to Bowen about it.

Today, when President Kinsey
saw, in the Globe-Democrat, a first-
page banner headline, "Expert Ad-
vises City Buy United Railways,"
and saw Bowen's name as the "ex-
pert" died, he was astonished.
Mayor Kiel was another who read
the featured article with surprise.

Mayor Didn't Know About It.
Before going to the City Hall,
the Mayor said he had not known
that Bowen was preparing a report
on street railway matters, and ad-
ded, "I wish you would ask Presi-
dent Kinsey whether he knew any-
thing about it." The Mayor has
previously said that the city admin-
istration would have no plan to
suggest as to street ways until
private committees, now working
on the matter, have a reorganiza-
tion and franchise plan ready.

"I didn't know a thing about it,"
Kinsey said in reply to the query
suggested by the Mayor. "I never
authorized, delegated or directed
Mr. Bowen to prepare any report
on street railway matters, and I do
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or Farm
for Sale?

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of the Post-Dispatch's "Real
Estate" columns. It's the
season of the year when
good real estate has its
greatest appeal.

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of the community feel the
Post-Dispatch. They are the
thrifty, prosperous people
who are on the lookout for
good investments and re-
quire them when they find
them.

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business property for sale,
use this direct way. Write
your ad and leave it with or
TELEPHONE IT TO
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ANCIENT ROMAN
THEATER REPORTED
FOUND IN BULGARIA

Workmen, Digging Foundation,
Discover Massive Marble
Stairway Worn Smooth.

By the Associated Press.
PHILIPPOPOLIS, Bulgaria, Apr.
18.—Archaeologists are stirred
by the discovery of what is evi-
dently a Roman amphitheater in
the city square here.

The workmen were digging founda-
tions for a new structure when
four meters below the surface of
the square they came upon a flight
of marble stairs of massive con-
struction and surface worn smooth
by the tread of many feet.

Officers summoned from the muse-
um gave as their preliminary
opinion that these marble steps, a
little less than a meter wide, were
the aisle of an amphitheater. The
houses have been built over it and
the wall itself runs through the
heart of the city.

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gists that valuable finds dating
back to the Roman and pre-Roman times.
Among these memorials of the
past is a city wall, which runs over
the brow of one of the seven hills
on which, like Rome, the city,
named for Philip of Macedon, is built.

The wall still stands for a great
part of its original length. Original-
ly it served as a defense, but now
houses have been built over it and
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SCHMOLL'S SON PAYS FINE
FOR TRAFFIC VIOLATION

Father Has Heated Exchange of
Words With Commissioner Moore
When Arrest Is Made.

Dewey Schmoll, son of Circuit
Clerk John Schmoll, pleaded guilty
to having an obscured license plate
on his automobile, when he ap-
peared with 116 other drivers, sim-
ilarly charged, in Judge Homer's
City Court, today. He paid the
customary fine of \$3 costs.

When Schmoll, who is a bank
clerk, was arrested in front of the
Soulard Street Station, yesterday,
there was an exchange of words be-
tween his father, who was a pas-
senger, and Police Commissioner
Moore, who was in the policeman's
halt the automobile. Schmoll ven-
tured that the Police Department,
instead of "arresting petty traffic
violators," should be arresting Jim-
my Miles. Moore retorted that a
half day spent in court by the care-
less citizen would make him think
twice before breaking the law
again.

PEACE BOOK "UNCHRISTIAN"

Suppression of Pamphlet Suggest-
ing U. S. as Guarantor Sought.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—
The suppression of a pamphlet is-
sued by the Methodist book concern
of Cincinnati, suggesting that
the United States become guaran-
tor of world disarmament and peace
agreements, was the subject of a
Court order on the ground that it
breaches an "unchristian attitude"
for this nation. The petitioner is
John G. Vogel, for 25 years a mem-
ber of the Methodist church here.
Bishop Edgar Blake, an American
stationed in Paris, wrote the
pamphlet.

By the Associated Press.
CINCINNATI, O., April 18.—Dr.
John H. Race, resident agent for
the Methodist book concern in Cin-
cinnati, said that the pamphlet,
the suppression of which has been
petitioned for in San Francisco, was
published by the New York branch
of the concern. "I presume that
the publication referred to is a
pamphlet 'America and Europe by
Bishop Edgar Blake,' he said. "The
pamphlet was issued last year."

EASTER DRAWS MANY TO ROME

Hotels Crowded by Tourists At-
tending Religious Services.

By the Associated Press.
ROME, April 18.—The opening
of spring weather, coinciding with
Holy week, has caused an extraor-
dinary influx of foreigners to
Rome. Hotels are overcrowded.
Crowds attending religious cere-
monies render it difficult and al-
most impossible to hire vehicles.
The head of a tourist agency
calculates that the tourists visit-
ing Rome in 1923 approximated
750,000, a third more than in 1922.
and this number is expected to be
greatly surpassed this year.

Mount Lassen in Active Eruption.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 18.—
Mount Lassen, an active volcano in
Northern California, was in erup-
tion for an hour and a half yester-
day. There was nothing spectacular
about the eruption, a great vol-
ume of smoke but little ash.

CLEMENCY GIVEN
TO 14 ADDITIONAL
ARMY PRISONERS

Seventeen Houston Rioters
in List of Total of 45
Now Affected by Special
Board's Action.

ONLY FIVE HAVE
RECEIVED PAROLES

Term of Former Captain Is
Reduced From 15 to 12
Years—Several Will Be
Liberated in May.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
LEAVENWORTH, Kan., April
18.—Communication of sentences for
14 prisoners of the "Lost Legion,"
confined in the Federal prison here,
was received from Washington last
night by Warden W. L. Biddle,
bringing the total number who
have been extended clemency by
the special Clemency Board which
investigated the records of 220
prisoners early in March, to 45.

Of the 45 granted clemency, 25
are serving life sentences, and of
these 25 life terms, 17 were
Houston rioters. In most instances
the Houston rioters were cut to 20
years, which means they will be
compelled to serve 10 years'
straight time. They have served
seven years, which will make them
eligible for paroles in three years.
Several other life prisoners were
cut to 20 and 25 years.

So far only five prisoners have
been released as a result of action
by the special clemency board.
These were given commutations to
expire at once and were released
March 22.

Captain's Sentence Reduced.
Among the most noted prisoners
to receive commutation yesterday
was John C. Gottenkiene, formerly
a captain. Gottenkiene was serving
15 years. His sentence was reduced
to 12 years. It is understood that
the reports made by Maj. James
Stanfield and Maj. F. K. Ross are
being considered in alphabetical
order and that those in charge of
the work have reached the 15.

The five who received commuta-
tion of sentence to expire forth-
with were Samuel Jackson, John
W. Fitzgerald, Thomas Fields, Dan-
iel Mussa and Albert Rappmundt.
Houston rioters who have been
given commutations from life sen-
tences follow:

Ben Daniel, cut to 19 years, 3
months; Ernest E. Adams, cut to 22
years; John Adams, cut to 30 years;
Wash Adams, cut to 21 years, 9
months; Grant Anderson, cut to 15
years; Fred Avery, cut to 20 years;
James Coker, cut to 23 years; Char-
ley Banks, cut to 30 years; Fred
Brown, cut to 30 years; Richard
Brown, cut to 30 years; Walter
Butler, cut to 30 years; Alice C.
Butler, cut to 30 years; Ben Cecil,
cut to 22 years, 3 months; William
Burnette, cut to 19 years; Abner
Davis, cut to 23 years, 3 months;
Henry L. Chenuatt, cut to 20
years; William L. Dugan, cut to 30
years.

Several Paroles in May.
The list of others of the 45 who
have been given commutations fol-
lows: James C. Skiles, 20 years,
cut to 15; Forrest Proctor, 10
years, cut to 5 years, 6 months;
Alcalon Williams, 3 years, 6
months, commuted to expire and
left the prison April 7; Buddie H.
Ashworth, life, cut to 20 years;
Loretto Alardin, life, cut to 25
years; Jack Barren, 10 years, cut
to 6; Ernest Crutchfield, life, cut
to 20 years; Gerald P. Fisher, 40
years, cut to 10; Anthony E. Dvo-
retski, life, cut to 20 years; Joe
Day, 20 years, cut to 15; Henry
Rederick, life, cut to 25 years; Dan-
iel M. Evans, life, cut to 15 years;
Sam H. Williams, life, cut to 15
years; Francis J. Cooney, 20 years,
cut to 12; William Cook, 15 years,
cut to 10; Joe Marquill, life, cut
to 20 years; Thomas Canlis, life,
cut to 20 years; John C. Gotten-
kiene, 15 years, cut to 12; William
E. Golden, 14 years, cut to 8.

Under the order for commuta-
tions, several of the prisoners will
be eligible for parole at the May
Meeting of the Parole Board.

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forts? asked Walsh. "They seemed
to be pretty effective," replied Dixon.
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complished." He could not say, he
added, how far the influence of
Penrose contributed to the result.

"How was the influence exert-
ed?" quizzed Walsh. "I imagine
that's what he sent John King
there for," replied Dixon.

From the fact that hundreds of
people visited the Penrose head-
quarters, including a large number

PENROSE ELIMINATED
CHICAGO CONVENTION
CANDIDATES BY WIRE

Private Line Operator Says Late Sen-
ator, in Sickbed, Put Wood, Low-
den, Johnson Out of Running.

MOVES BEHIND THE SCENES
DESCRIBED FOR SENATORS

Witness Tells of Wood Refusing to Let Boss
Name Three Cabinet Officers in Return for
Nomination; Spencer and Walsh
in Row.

By CHARLES G. ROSS,
Chief Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Behind-the-scenes moves at the
Republican national convention of 1920 formed the theme of
much of the testimony given today before the Senate of inves-
tigating committee. The session also brought out a graphic nar-
rative of the last hours of Jake J. Hamon, Republican National
Committee man from Oklahoma, after he had been shot by Clara
Smith, at Ardmore, in the Fall of 1920.

Examination of one of the wit-
nesses was marked by an outbreak
of the feud that has developed be-
tween Senator Walsh, the commit-
tee "prosecutor," and Senator Spencer
of Missouri, now recognized as
the principal spokesman of the
"defense" against the charge that
political conspirators sought to loot
the public domain. Walsh and
Spencer at one point in the hearing
glared angrily at each other as the
Democrat insisted that the witness
be allowed over Spencer's demand
to answer a question in his own
way.

"I'll conduct this examination,"
shouted Spencer, pounding the table.
Walsh flared back.
Chairman Ladd was appealed to
by Walsh to settle the dispute but
the flurry passed over while his
given commutations from life sen-
tences follow:

From His Sick Bed.
How the late Senator Boies Pen-
rose, from his sickbed in Pennsylv-
ania, endeavored to impress his
will on the convention at Chicago
was told by L. W. Dixon of Chi-
cago, the telegrapher who operated
the private wire between the Chi-
cago headquarters in the Congress
Hotel and the home of the boss in
Philadelphia. Penrose had not
only this direct and private tele-
graphic connection but also a
leased telephone wire between Chi-
cago and Philadelphia.

The lines were set up 10 days
before the convention opened and
were kept in operation throughout
the convention. John T. King, Re-
publican National Committee man
from Connecticut was in charge at
the Chicago end. He was Penrose's
personal representative at the con-
vention. At the other end messages
were received for the sick boss by
Leighton Taylor, his secretary.

As an additional safeguard
against leaks the names of men
sent over the wires were in a code
which Dixon said he devised. Prior
to the adoption of the code, it was
the custom to split a message in
half, part being sent by telegraph
and part by telephone.

With the aid of the cipher, Dixon
said, the secrecy was complete. He
testified that he did not know at
the time and still did not know
who it was that Penrose wanted
nominated. He knew, however,
that Penrose was working for the
elimination of Gen. Wood, Gov.
Lowden and Hiram Johnson.

Penrose "Pretty Effective."
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SENATE EXPECTED TO VOTE TODAY ON IMMIGRATION BILL

Quota Ratio Placed at Two Per Cent Based on 1890 Census, Identical in Effect With House Clause, PREFERENCE FOR FARMERS PROPOSED

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Having brought its immigration bill into conformity with the House measure at points where wide differences had been predicted, the Senate is working on the concluding phases of its debate today, with action expected before adjournment.

An amendment by Senator Simmons (Dem.), of North Carolina, providing preferential consideration for farmers and farm laborers in immigration quotas was pending when debate was resumed today under an agreement limiting each Senator to 10 minutes on the bill as a whole and on each proposed change.

The Simmons amendment held the attention of the Senate so long that a night session is in prospect in order to obtain final action. Senator Copeland (Dem.) of New York suggested the amendment be modified to require agricultural experts to declare their intention of following that pursuit after arrival in order to get in the preferred class, and Senator Pittman (Dem.) of Nevada moved a further amendment limiting the preferential classification to such times as a state certified to the Federal authorities that there was a deficit of farm labor within its borders.

Opposition to the Simmons proposal came from both sides of the chamber. Senator Reed (Rep.) of Pennsylvania said it would not meet the object for which it was drawn and quoted statistics showing that more than 50,000 immigrants entering American ports last year who could have been classified as farm help never reached the rural districts.

President Coolidge, meanwhile, continues his study of the diplomatic questions raised by the adoption of Japanese exclusion provisions by both chambers, but has given no indication of his probable course when the final measure is presented to him for approval or veto.

The exclusion provisions in the Senate and House bills are, in effect, identical, and the Senate's decision late yesterday to place the quota ratio at 2 per cent based upon the 1890 census eliminated another cause for controversy when the measures are taken up in conference to iron out the differences.

This leaves the Senate amendment authorizing certain exemptions from quota restrictions, and its provision for a permanent nationality group survey upon which to base quotas after July 1, 1927—provisions not incorporated in the bill passed by the House—the chief points thus far developed on which the conferees of the two chambers will be called upon to reach an agreement.

Votes in the Senate.

At one stage yesterday the Senate went on record for a record low immigration total of 50,000, represented by 1 per cent on the census of 1890.

In every decision yesterday the Senate registered decisive majorities. Rejecting 22 to 8, the proposal of Senator Copeland (Dem.) of New York, to make the quota 2

LIQUOR WENT TO GILLET'S OFFICE, INVESTIGATORS HEAR

Scaife Tells Daugherty Committee Department Agents Can Confirm Story As to Consignment That Vanished.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Minute details of the Savannah liquor conspiracy case, in which 78 persons have been sentenced to the penitentiary, were recalled before the Daugherty investigating committee today by Clark Grier, who described himself as a prominent Georgia Republican, and former "informant" of the Department of Justice.

The witness said there had been long delay in prosecuting the case after he laid all the facts before the department, and that his report was followed by his "discharge" by W. J. Burns at the instance of John L. Phillips, the Republican State chairman, who, he charged, was involved in the liquor case. An indictment against Phillips in a lumber fraud case is pending in the District of Columbia.

H. L. Scaife, also a former Department of Justice investigator, corroborated Grier's testimony as to his separation from the Department of justice after the Savannah report was submitted.

Scaife also said that some liquor seized some years ago in Washington, but which disappeared from storage, resulting in a grand jury inquiry, went to the "office of Speaker Gillett."

No Personal Knowledge.

Committee members discussed whether they should let this statement stand in the record, and the witness named Gaston B. Means as one of his informants and declared six Department of Justice witnesses could confirm his statement. He denied any personal knowledge of the transaction.

The liquor referred to, Scaife said, was seized at the Union Station here in 1918, 1919 or 1920 and the entire consignment, valued at \$50,000, disappeared. A grand jury investigated the disappearance, he said, but found no ground for indictments.

Scaife said reports, some of this liquor went to the office of Speaker Gillett, Scaife said.

"Do you know that?" demanded Senator Wheeler, the committee "prosecutor."

Scaife said not, and Wheeler instructed him to "confine yourself to what you know."

"We don't want this evidence if it is 100 per cent gossip," Wheeler said. "You'll find it is 100 per cent true," said Scaife.

"Shadowed" by Means.

The witness insisted that some statement from Gillett on the subject would be printed in the newspapers at the time.

Wheeler switched the inquiry to the impeachment proceedings against Attorney-General Daugherty in 1922. Scaife said he associated Representative Woodruff (Rep.) of Michigan, in support of the impeachment charges and that Means, then a Department of Justice agent, "was ordered to shadow us."

He identified a paper which Wheeler showed him, and said that Means "told me he took this paper from Representative Woodruff's office."

Taking up the Wright-Martin aircraft case, Scaife said the papers had been alternately sent to the New York District Attorney, called back by Guy D. Goff, former Assistant Attorney-General, and turned over to special counsel.

"We found in Ohio, that Attorney-General Daugherty had 500 shares of stock in this company in 1920," he said.

Scaife declared the prosecution for recovery of "overpayment" had been "blocked" in the Department of Justice in 1921 and 1922 "surreptitiously."

Scaife gave an account of "rum running on the Atlantic Coast." He said his information was based on a report by Grier, regarding the

HEARING ON WORLD COURT PLAN ORDERED

Subcommittee Formed to Report on Proposed Entry of U. S. Into Body.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Early hearing on the proposal for American participation in the World Court was ordered today by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

A subcommittee of five, headed by Senator Pepper (Rep.) of Pennsylvania, was selected to conduct the hearing and make a report to the full committee. Other members of the subcommittee are Senators Brandegee (Rep.) of Connecticut, one of the League of Nations "recalcitrants," Swanson of Virginia and Pittman of Nevada, Democrats, and Shipstead (Farmer-Labor) of Minnesota.

Requests for the hearings have been received from a number of chambers of commerce, the Federal Council of Churches, the Non-Partisan League of Nations Association and the Association of University Students to take to them.

A continuing pressure has been brought from various sources in an effort to have the court proposal brought out. Senator Robinson, charged on the floor of the Senate that Senator Lodge, Massachusetts, the Republican leader, who is chairman of the committee, had deliberately pigeonholed the measure, which was recommended by both Presidents Harding and Coolidge.

The original recommendation by President Harding was presented just prior to expiration of the last Congress, and Lodge announced then that sufficient time was not available for action. President Coolidge, on assuming office, called attention to the fact that the measure still was pending.

VANDERLIP SAYS HE GOT COUZENS TO HIRE HENRY

Says Senator Objected That Plan Would Stir Up Trouble—Lawyer's Terms "High."

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—Frank A. Vanderlip of New York told the members of the City Club yesterday that he was instrumental in getting Francis J. Henry of California to agree to conduct the Senate committee investigation of the Internal Revenue Bureau. He entitled his address "The Stolen City."

Vanderlip said that after Senator Couzens (Rep.), Michigan, and a member of the investigating committee, had been advised by Gov. Pinchot to obtain the services of Henry, Vanderlip realized the importance of getting a man like the Californian and had his office communicate by long distance telephone with Henry at Los Angeles. Couzens, he said, did not know Henry.

Couzens did not want to engage Henry, he said, because he was sick, but he did not want to do it, Vanderlip said. Henry's terms were high, Vanderlip declared, but he was told to take the next train for Washington. Vanderlip's research bureau had 30 cases for him to study when he reached Washington. Vanderlip said further that he took Henry to Couzens, who agreed to accept the fee of \$10,000.

The two Democratic members agreed, Vanderlip said, to have the Californian man work for the committee.

Penrose Eliminated Candidates by Wire

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affection for the dead man, threw little light on the main subject of the inquiry, but was one of the dramatic high spots of the whole investigation.

Hamon, dying, remarked that he hated to go just after they had "put the State over" for the Republican party. He then wrote a note and asked Nichols to deliver it to Warren Harding.

"I delivered it," said Nichols, "and as the President read it the tears rolled down his face. He handed it back to me and I tore it up. I need not have done so. It told me what a wonderful fellow Jake was and said it was too bad he had the one fault—his admiration for women."

"The Place Fall Got."

Five or six days before Hamon was shot, Nichols said, Hamon told him that he could have a place in the Cabinet if he wanted it. He referred, the witness continued, to the "place that Fall afterwards got."

Nichols said he was sure that Jake was not joking. Hamon declined to take anything from the administration, Nichols explained. He said that after Hamon's death a railroad from the Lakes to the Gulf and he did not want anything to interfere with that enterprise.

"He was a man of big vision," said the witness, "and the building of this road was his great ideal."

When Nichols, while the boss lay dying, tried to cheer him by saying they would soon be at Palm Beach together, Hamon replied: "Where I am going there may be palms but there won't be any beaches."

Nichols said that after Hamon had taken a couple of drinks, he might talk in an exaggerated way in order to "booster up the boys" in a campaign, but that Hamon had said anything to warrant the inference that he was in any way of deal to defraud the Government.

"Jake Hamon," said this good friend of the boss, "would not join in any conspiracy to beat any man or any government out of a penny."

SAYS RADICAL COMMUNISM GIVES RIGHT TO BUY

Dry Officer Holds That Communists Will Have Same Rights as Orthodox Jews.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Right to purchase who for mental use at home, was claimed properly after the radio communicants of the End, Presbyterian Church, in Merrick, chief of the Federal Prohibition Enforcement Bureau said last night.

Merrick holds that if the Rev. A. Edwin Kline, who decided to continue his radio sermon services, which he inaugurated tonight, his communicants are privileged to obtain a mental use of the scriptures in a private manner as Orthodox Jews. However, communicants of the End, Presbyterian Church, in Merrick, must first obtain the sanction of Dr. Kline, who is another minister who sponsors radio sermon services. The pastor of the End, Presbyterian Church, in Merrick, who is a radio communicant, is to participate in the radio sermon and wine at home as to use grape juice in case no wine is available.

Dr. Tertius Van Dyke of Park Avenue Presbyterian Church, who is a radio communicant, declared that the broadcasting of radio sermon services is a "very serious and dangerous innovation to grave abuses." Other Presbyterian clergymen called the proposal "startling" and "astounding."

MAN QUIZZED ABOUT HIS STREET PAVING PROPOSAL

Head of Contracting Concern, Who Objects to Willite Specification, Heard by Service Board.

Shelby L. Heman, president of the Trinidad Asphalt Manufacturing Co., who has promised to save at least \$40,000 for property owners on five streets to be repaved, if the specifications are changed to call for asphalt instead of Willite, which is asphalt and copulphate, was interrogated at length by the Board of Public Service today.

The question was by President Kinsey. Willite was specified for various jobs after Kinsey and Director of Streets and Sewers, Fleishman, of the board, went to California as guests of the Willite company to inspect roads paved with that material.

Heman, who is 25 years old, retained his composure throughout the examination. He said his offer to do the work in question, he considered fair, since about 70,000 square yards of paving would be involved, figures which would cost \$1.90 a square yard for asphalt work had been at \$2.85, \$2.62, \$2.65 and \$2.54 per square yard, respectively.

In explanation, he said that the price can be reduced as yardage is increased, since the overhead charges are present, regardless of volume. Further, he said, the jobs in question are of the nature of a great, four of the locations are adjacent and the property to be taxed in payment can stand the charge. He declared there had been no material change in the cost of two years in labor and material costs.

Heman asserted that comparison of his present bid with previous ones at higher rates was very unfair, because of the desirability of contracts varied. He said that while he got 74,000 or 75,000 square yards of asphalt work in city contracts last year, it was a "big year" and he didn't know he would be so much when the season opened. If he had known he would have considered the character of the jobs in considering a different bid.

Cost of Laying Willite.

Asked to cost more to lay Willite than asphalt, he said the excess was about 4 cents a square yard, exclusive of royalty on the Willite patents, but that there didn't seem to be much difference in the work of laying the two kinds of material.

"On Feb. 19," said Kinsey, "you did about 25 cents less on Willite than asphalt. I'm curious to know why." Heman said he did not make a "test case," presumably meaning to show that Willite patents were not binding. In response to a question by Director of Streets and Sewers, Fleishman, of the board continued to specify Willite it will eliminate the asphalt business completely."

Heman agreed with Hooke that it would be better to distribute paving contracts so that each private plant could get enough work to keep its overhead down. He said that if he got annual contracts for 150,000 square yards "that would help," but he had no idea he would get that much, since the Willite people were the only ones so favorable.

Explains Low Willite Bid.

Explaining how he had underbid competitors to get two Willite contracts in February, Heman said the others "didn't know he was lower. His brother, he said, put in low bids for him under instruction to 'get the jobs at any cost.'" Kinsey asked if he had not said before the letting of those contracts that he would be "low."

This Heman denied, adding that any one saying he had, lied.

"It might have been your brother at a meeting here," Kinsey countered. Heman said he was not responsible for his brother.

Heman said he would agree to make a standard price for the year on asphalt work on the basis of \$1.90 a square yard, if guaranteed contracts for a sufficient yardage. He said he would agree to bid next year on the five jobs in question under his proposal to save \$40,000 on them, if legal delays in changing the specifications occurred. As senting to this in answer to Hooke, he remarked: "When they're trying to put you out of business you have to gamble." The city law department is not ready to report on the legality of accepting Heman's offer, but this report may be ready for a meeting of the board next Wednesday.

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SAYS RADIO COMMUNION GIVES RIGHT TO BUY WINE

NEW YORK, April 18.—The right to purchase wine for religious use at home may be claimed properly after today's decision of the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals in the case of the Rev. A. Edwin Kellogg, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, who has been charged with selling wine for the communion.

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HEARING CONDUCTED BY PRESIDENT KINSEY

Witness Explains Increased Yardage Permits Decrease in Bids Made on Other City Jobs.

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14 FREIGHT CARS IN DITCH

Wreck Near St. Louis Ties Up Wagon to Kansas City.

The St. Louis to Kansas City line of the Missouri Pacific Railroad was blocked up for many hours as the result of a wreck at 7:05 a. m. today when 14 cars of an eastbound freight train plunged into a ditch near St. Louis.

because of a broken rail. It is reported that two negroes riding in a freight car were crushed to death and an injured trainman was taken to a hospital at St. Charles, 12 miles away.

The work of restoring the line may take 24 hours, and in the meantime trains are being routed over the Burlington.

Buys \$140,000 Lot for Sentiment.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 18.—A lot in the business district, purchased in 1850 for \$510 by Dr. J. H. Foster and given to his daughter, Mrs. Clara F. Bass of Peoria, Ill., for a wedding present, has been repurchased by her for \$140,000 from her grandson, Samuel R. Warner, to whom it was given some years ago by Mrs. Bass' daughter, Mrs. Bass was born near the lot, which has been held by four generations of the family and belongs to the second. A sentimental wish to keep it in the family prompted Mrs. Bass' purchase, her dealer said.

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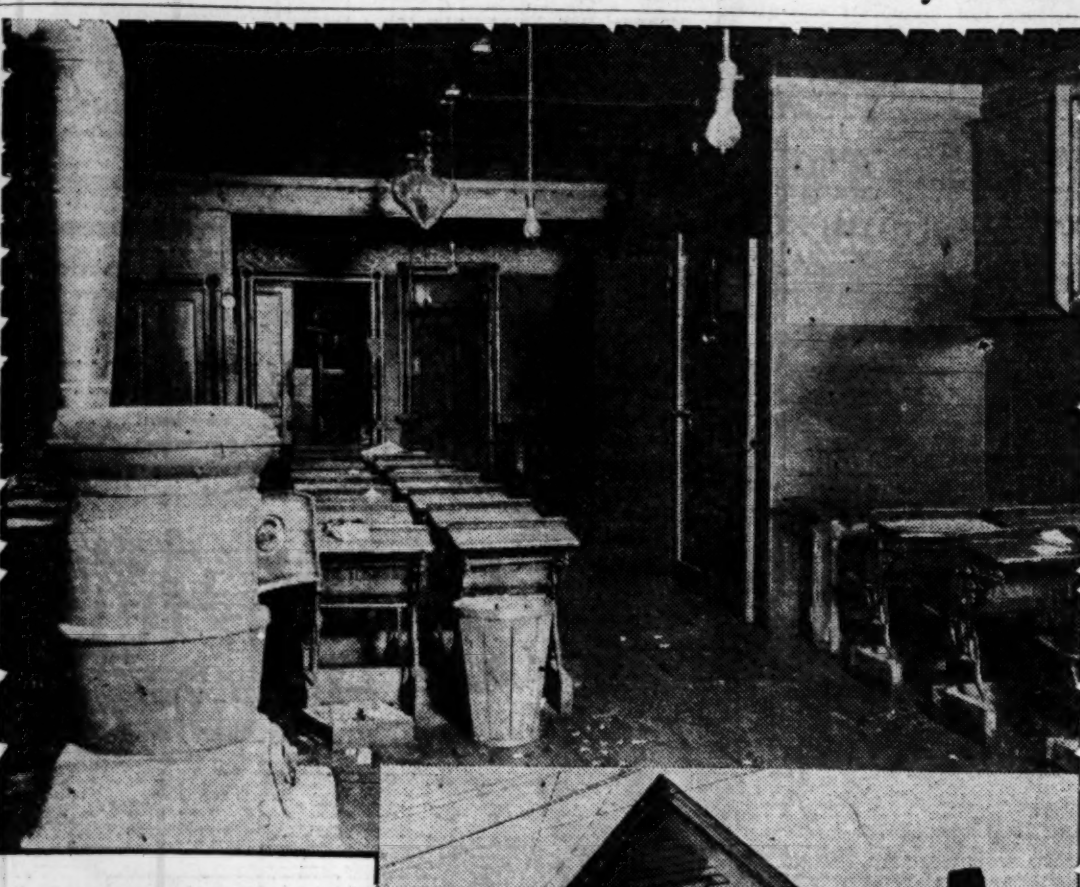
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Lottery School, Showing Desks Where Pupils Learned A B C's of Policy Games



liff inquired if the situation was not "simply a fight to try and eliminate another contractor, not to save money for taxpayers." Heman said he was trying to keep himself from being eliminated.

H. A. Belmes, who owns his home at 4236 Botanical avenue, one of the streets involved, said he had looked at Willite and asphalt streets and wanted Willite used for Botanical avenue because he thought it was best.

QUALIFIES SELF AS EXPERT AND URGES THAT CITY BUY U. R.

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not see that his experience qualifies him to do so. So far as I know, his experience has not been in the line of public utilities. He has made an official visit to other cities to inspect city buildings and grade crossing problems, but not to inspect traction systems."

Kinsey later in the day received a typewritten copy of Bowen's "report" recommending that the city acquire and operate the United Railways. The "report" was addressed to Kinsey, and began with the statement that Bowen, through observations made in other cities and a study of the problem here, considered himself qualified to judge of the matters discussed.

Bowen, in the "report," discussed the valuation and financing of the United Railways, and expressed doubt whether a reorganization plan generally satisfactory would be reached, under private ownership of the system. He suggested that the city notify the Federal Court of its interest in the matter, vote a bond issue of \$51,000,000, and buy the United Railways property, including the St. Louis County and St. Charles lines, and that the bond interest be paid and the principal amortized, over a term of 50 years, by a system of payments which he outlined.

He said the city-owned lines would still pay city and county taxes, but not State or Federal taxes. He suggested means for avoiding the danger of political control of a municipally owned system. He said needed extensions, but did not discuss the rapid transit and subway problems in detail. He mentioned city ownership of traction lines in Detroit, Seattle and San Francisco as showing what he considers a trend toward municipal ownership.

Under an amendment to the State Constitution, voted in 1920, the city has the power to issue bonds for constructing or acquiring public utilities, regardless of the limitations on its bonded indebtedness, and to pay off the bonds with the earnings of the utilities.

Slight Decrease in Net Earnings of Detroit Street Railways.

By the Associated Press.

DETROIT, Mich., April 18.—Net earnings of the municipally-owned Detroit street railways for March were slightly less than for the same month in 1923, according to a statement presented by the Board of Street Railway Commissioners to Acting Mayor Joseph A. Martin. The net income last month was \$97,179.79, compared with \$98,025.42 last year.

There was an increase of \$232,922.52 in revenue from transportation, according to the report, while operating expenses increased \$63,466.11 and revenue derived from the sale of real estate decreased \$52,638.22.

Interest and sinking fund charges showed a slight increase over March, 1923, the report said.

Bodies of Two Babies Found.

The body of a baby, wrapped in newspaper, was found today on a mail box in front of the home of Philip deC. Ball, president of the St. Louis Browns, on the Florissant road near Ferguson. The body of another baby, a 2-week-old boy, was recovered last night from the Meramec River near Fenton. No marks of identification were found in either case.

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SUES ESTATE ON GROUND HE HELPED MAN TO WEALTH

Chemist Declares He Aided W. S. Barnickel in Developing Process for Reclaiming Oil.

Carl G. Hinrichs, a St. Louis chemist, today filed suit against the estate of William S. Barnickel, for an accounting of money alleged by Hinrichs to be due him from the estate for aid given to Barnickel in perfecting the oil-reclaiming process which made Barnickel wealthy shortly before his death last May.

Hinrichs says that, because he has been unable to obtain an accounting hitherto, he cannot estimate how much is due him, but he says the amount may reach \$500,000.

Hinrichs alleges that on July 25, 1913, Barnickel proposed to him that he aid in working out a process for separating oil from shale sediment and thus reclaiming much oil which had gone to waste. At that time, Barnickel had filed an application with the patent office, but he needed help in perfecting his process.

Says He Will Produce Contract.

Hinrichs alleges a contract was made, by which he was to assist Barnickel in perfecting the process and making demonstrations, and was to receive 4 per cent of Barnickel's receipts from the sale of the process. It is stated that the contract was made, and that the original is to be introduced as an exhibit in the suit.

Hinrichs says he carried out his part of the contract, making laboratory tests and demonstrations, and aided materially in making the enterprise a success. He says Barnickel paid him \$2000 on account, but that he was unable to get from him, or from the executor since his death, any accounting which would enable him to estimate the amount due under his contract. The court is asked to order such an accounting.

Barnickel's process became highly profitable to him, less than two years before his death, and after years of hard work and discouragements. He left an estate which was inventoried at \$345,780, and his will, after providing for his daughter, left one-third of the income of the estate to three lawyers who aided him in getting his patent, John Gilman, 49, a white man, of Zachariah Williams, 55, a negro, residing at Clayburne Station, on the Creve Coeur line, in St. Louis County, at 8:20 o'clock this morning.

The shooting took place in the yard of the Alton Brick Works, where both men were employed. Witnesses said Williams made reference to signs reading, "No Negroes Allowed," which have been erected in certain Illinois communities, and that Gilman replied, "Yes, they ought to have those signs here, too." When Williams said he did not wish to continue the conversation, Gilman is alleged to have drawn a revolver and shot him in the heart and abdomen.

Williams died on the way to a hospital, and search was begun for Gilman, who was last seen walking down the street car tracks.

sign hung on the doors of the United States for dark peoples? Americans take pride in their power and wealth to do anything they like, but after all is it a wise policy to make enemies of millions of Asiatics?"

Talk of military action as a result of the exclusion legislation is ridiculous, however much Congress has wound Japan's pride. Lieutenant-General Ichimatsu Tanaka, Vice Minister of War, said in an interview today with the newspaper Yomiuri.

"It would be folly at this juncture," he continued, "to follow the Chinese example and throw stones at the American Embassy. This would be a boomerang to Japan. We must take this experience as a bitter but beneficial pill which may cure our internal ills and disunion."

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, April 18.—"It is impossible to imagine any Government or its representatives addressing a threat to the American Government," said Viscount Ishih to the House Agency today, commenting on the construction placed by some American Senators upon Ambassador Hanihara's note regarding the immigration question. "Simple common sense prevents any such supposition."

That is why no argument based on an interpretation of the Hanihara note as containing a threat toward the American Government can be just or reasonable. "I only know of what is called the Hanihara note by what the newspapers have published. I can only hope sincerely that the document prepared by one of the warmest admirers of the American nation and in a spirit of cordial

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WANTS JURORS TO SMELL BREATH OF WATER WAGON MAN

Lawyer's Request Is Denied, but Jury Refuses to Give Plaintiff Any Damages.

Being called to the stand, a lawyer asked George Crow of 303 Antelope avenue his occupation and he replied, "I'm on the water wagon."

The judge thought he sensed contempt of court in the response and said sharply, "We're not interested in your morals. What do you do for a living?"

Crow again insisted and to prevent trouble his counsel explained to the judge that it was quite true. Crow was on the water wagon, literally. He drove one.

Introduction of the witness seemed to give Vance Higgs, defending Crow's damage suit against the United Railways yesterday, an idea. He stepped close to the witness and sniffed.

"You're not on the water wagon now," he exclaimed. "You've been drinking today, haven't you?" This the plaintiff emphatically denied.

"Will you permit the jury to smell your breath?" Higgs queried.

Counsel for Crow objected strenuously. His client, he said, was suing for \$25,000 damages for injuries suffered when an automobile in which he was riding collided with a street car. The question of halitosis was incompetent, irrelevant and not tending to prove or disprove any issues at stake. Circuit Judge Hartmann upheld plaintiff's objection.

The court's ruling did not prohibit Higgs from carrying his idea further. In his argument he referred pointedly to the plaintiff as Old Crow, despite hoarse objections by plaintiff's counsel. The jury decided not to give Crow a penny.

NO CLASS TODAY IN MISTAH WILLIAMS' LOTTERY SCHOOL.

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that for 50 cents one stood to win \$100 if the intricate arrangement of numbers he selected came out in the wheel as the winning arrangement. His chance was called a "horse" bet. The bets ran down to 5 cents for a "pig" bet on which one might win \$10.

However, the law of probabilities in the drawing of these numbers placed the odds against the better at about 1000 to 1. But the law of probabilities is not studied extensively by policy game gamblers. Who, having placed 10 cents on the Twentieth Century Limited, would question the gods of chance? Not in darkness.

Sergeant Dempsey and Deputy Sheriff Kick today, of the Car Street District put duty above romance.

A fine duel, or something equally thrilling, was spoiled yesterday when Sgt. Ostrander of the Car Street District put duty above romance.

One man, greatly excited, was sprinting on "Twenty-first" street, between Wash and Carr streets, with another man, flourishing a three-foot saber, purizing. The sergeant fired a few shots into the air and broke up the chase. The man with the saber retreated into an alley and was captured.

The prisoner identified himself as Dominie Scalascola, 27, a coal dealer, of 1403 North Tenth street. He was recent and inquired: "Did I have a sword?" when assured such was the case. He declined to tell why he had forsaken the coal business to harass and greatly excite the other man, whoever he was.

operation with the Government of the United States, will receive an impartial interpretation.

Sheriff Kick took the Ambassador to France, was formerly Ambassador to the United States, and helped negotiate the Lansing-Ishih agreement.

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On Locust Street at Sixth

GERRIT H. TEN BROEK FOUND DEAD IN HOME

Ha Formerly Was Vice Consul for Netherlands—Ill Since Last Summer.

Gerrit H. Ten Broek, attorney, former Vice Consul for the Netherlands, widely known social and church worker, was found dead in his home at 1104 Jackson place when his wife, who occupied an adjoining room, sought to call him this morning.

Members of the household summoned a physician, who said he had been dead about six hours. Though in ill health since he suffered a heat stroke a year ago, Ten Broek retired as usual last evening, after attending pre-Easter services at the Niederrhinhaus Mission, Seventh street and Cass avenue, in which he was one of the leading spirits.

Ten Broek, who was born in St. Louis in 1859, was active in many civic organizations. He was founder and editor of "The Mercantile Register," former secretary of the Associated Law Offices, former secretary of the St. Louis Protestant Hospital Association, and former director for the Western Society for the Suppression of Vice.

Until his illness, Ten Broek was for many years vice consul for the Netherlands for the states of Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Arkansas, Texas, New Mexico and Arizona. He was Commissioner General of the Netherlands to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, and for his services was knighted by the Queen of the Netherlands into the Order of Orange-Nassau.

Ten Broek, an Episcopalian, of recent years took an intense interest in home missions. For many years he was active in the affairs of the Bethel Mission at Second and Olive streets, and in more recent years of the Niederrhinhaus Mission.

He was educated in the public schools of St. Louis and graduated from the old St. Louis Law School, affiliated with Washington University. He was married in 1893 to Miss Florence Lorraine Colby, who died in 1914. In 1920 he was married to Miss Ruby Gunther.

Surviving him are his widow, one sister, Mrs. F. J. Langenberg, wife of a hat manufacturer, and one brother, Barrent Ten Broek, a candy manufacturer. The funeral will probably be held Monday from the residence.

Man Wounded in Liquor Raid.

By the Associated Press.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 18.—William E. Dodge, a licensed pilot of Block Island, was wounded and four others were arrested early today after a gun battle when the police came upon the men unloading a cargo of whisky and gin at the Seacomet Coal Co. pier here. Their cruiser was riddled with bullets. The police seized 102 cases of whisky and gin, aboard the cruiser.

4 Killed When Gas Wrecks Home.

By the Associated Press.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., April 18.—A mother and three of her children were killed here today when an explosion wrecked the home of Anna Pracko. Four other members of the family were burned seriously. Fire department officials believe that gas, leaking into the house from a main, was set off when a member of the family lighted a match. The dead are Mrs. Anna Pracko, the mother; Ronie, an infant, Leon, 13 years old, and Sophia, 4 years old.

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1-CENT FINE IN LIQUOR CASE BY JUDGE DYER

Jurist "Bawls Out" Informer Who Got Pint by Telling Drug Clerk He Was Ill.

Federal Judge Dyer had a bad night and he wasn't feeling fit, he said, when he mounted the bench in the United States District Court today. But after he had "bawled out" the Government for trapping a druggist into a sale of liquor he announced he felt better.

A. A. Flanders, former proprietor of a drug store at 1805 Market street, and his clerk, George Lane, were charged with selling a pint of whisky without a prescription last October. The Government dismissed the case against Lane, and Flanders' counsel, James E. Carroll, said he would plead guilty because he wanted to start on a trip. The Government attorney informed the judge that the liquor was sold by the clerk to an informer for \$4 and the marked money was found when the place was raided.

Judge Dyer asked the clerk what the informer said. Lane said the informer asserted he had formerly worked for Flanders and had bought liquor from him at the store and at Flanders' home and besides he was so sick that "he felt like an elephant had stepped on his stomach." Lane felt sorry for the man and accepted his \$4 for a pint. Flanders admitted the informer formerly had worked for him, but denied selling him liquor and said he did not know at the time about the sale by the clerk.

"I find you one cent," shouted the judge, pounding the bench. "It is an outrage that the Government of the United States cannot enforce its laws without hiring men to lie, cheat and steal to do it."

"I have no time for a liar. If the laws of this country have to be enforced in that manner I'll not assist in the process. Here's a case where a man went into a store, almost a home, of another man, and imposed upon his friendship and sympathy solely for the purpose of trapping him. I'll not be a party to that kind of law enforcement and I want everybody to understand it and know that's the way I feel about it."

He paused and then added: "Now that I've got that out of my system, I feel better."

Flanders paid his fine and insisted upon a receipt, which was given him.

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**"TONY" OF OLIVE STREET
NOT "TONY" OF NORTH GRAND**

Candy Store Proprietor Complains of Annoyance Because of Another Man of the Same Name.

Anthony P. Pappas, proprietor of a candy store at 3563 Olive street, is again greatly chagrined, he says, because acquaintances keep calling him up and asking if "there's anything we can do, now that you're in trouble again."

Pappas isn't in trouble now nor

hasn't been, he says; that is, the only trouble is the similarity of his name and business with that of Tony Pappas, who conducts a candy store at 810 North Grand boulevard. Police recently raided the Grand boulevard Tony's place on a tip that high school students were getting whisky there. Previously Grand boulevard Tony took \$100 as a bribe not to identify a youth who had held him up, but later identified the youth and returned the money in the presence

of a policeman.

Both times Olive street Tony Pappas was chided by his friends about the occurrences. On the last occasion, he says, he even got long distance telephone calls from Jefferson City and the Chicago Colonel of the artillery unit he served with during the war "heard that Tony had been arrested." He has said so before but now he wants to announce more emphatically that he isn't the Grand boulevard Tony, doesn't know him, never saw

him, and never heard of him until the latter's troubles caromed off against him.

**ACTOR HELD FOR INFRINGING
COPYRIGHT TO "LIGHTNIN"**

Abell Wall Said to Have Produced Play Under Different Name in Missouri.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, April 12.—Abell Rose Wall, an actor, was arrested yesterday in Excelsior Springs, Mo.,

charged with violation of the copyright law by producing the play "Lightnin'" under the names of "What a Wife Will Do" and "The Road to Reno." The play was to have been presented in Excelsior Springs last night. It was given Monday night in Richmond.

The arrest was made by Samuel I. Reed, Deputy United States Marshal, on a warrant issued by H. L. Donnelly, Assistant United States District Attorney. Information leading to the arrest was furnished Federal authorities by Edward C.

Rafferty, New York attorney for the persons to whom the copyright was issued. The copyright to "Lightnin'" was granted Dec. 1, 1919, to Winchell Smith, John L. Golden and Frank Bacon.

Missouri Dry Agent Quits Job.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 12.—O. W. Hulise, prohibition enforcement officer for Southwest Missouri, yesterday tendered his resignation to officials at the local Federal building. His successor has not been appointed.

HOME HOSPITAL PLAN

Entire Family Successfully Treated for Tuberculosis by Method.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The Home Hospital Plan for the treatment of tuberculosis, under which an entire family is treated when a parent is afflicted, instead of the parent being sent to a sanatorium

and the children to an institution, was declared successful in spreading, in a report issued today by the New York Association for Tuberculosis, the report gave the results of a 10-year demonstration at the hospital of the association, which urged the general adoption of home treatment plan as more effective and humane than other methods of caring for consumptives.

SAFEGUARD YOUR FURS IN OUR COLD DRY-AIR STORGAGE. MOTHPROOF! THEFTPROOF! FIREPROOF!

Saturday Special! Fur Chokers

We have just received a limited number of very high-grade 2-skin stone martens. Also fine platinum foxes, peach foxes and Yubon foxes. Admirable for Spring and Summer wear.

KLINES—Third Floor.

\$49.75

Kline's

606-08 Washington Avenue—Thru to Sixth Street

Saturday Special! Toilet Goods

Coty's Perfume, \$1.00 value \$30
Coty's Perfume, \$7.95 value \$3.95
Floramaye Perfume, \$2.00 value \$1.49

KLINES—Main Floor.

SATURDAY—GREAT SAVINGS IN THESE

EASTER COAT SALES

**Group No. 1—225 Selected Coats**

Including Poiret Twills

We have arranged for this last day before Easter an exceptional group of Coats, leaving nothing to be desired in materials, in styling or in workmanship. These Coats are full lined and smartly trimmed. A large variety of newest styles to select from. A very unusual offering.

Colors are the toast shades, gray and black.
Materials Are the New Plaids, New Checks,
New shadow plaids and solid shades of Poiret twill.

\$18.75

KLINES—Third Floor.

Group No. 2—185 Finer Coats

Including Poiret Twills

Many exceptional values, indeed, are to be found in this selection. Coats made by a number of foremost Coat makers who are known for their success in copying expensive models. Charming style features and high-class workmanship.

Many New Swagger Ideas Are Shown

Out of the ordinary and daring new combinations
in plaids and checks.

\$25.00

KLINES—Third Floor.

Poiret Twills in Shades of Tan and Gray. Also Black.

Just in Time for That New Easter Frock

SALE OF 500 LOVELY DRESSES

Dresses for Sport, Afternoon, Street and Party Wear

We have arranged one of the most interesting Dress events of the season for this special Easter selling. Styles which are fluffy and charming for the warm weather which is upon us. Dress values are included which frequently are sold us for higher priced selling.

Printed Crepes Flowered Georgettes
Chiffons Printed Roshanaras
Laces Canton Crepes Crepe Satin
Flat Crepe
KLINES—Fourth Floor.

\$15**Saturday Special! Just 150 Model Frocks
Each Is a Distinctive Type Dress**

Delightful Frocks from graceful slimline modes to lovely bouffant types, draped and flounced. Among the colors are black, navy, brown, poudre blue, gray, flame, rust and orchid.

\$25

Saturday—A Great Offering of HIGH TYPE SPORT HATS



Morning Special

For Kiddies & Children \$1

Milan Straw Hats with ribbon trimming. While 200 last. Also about 100 odd-trimmed Hats worth to \$7.50.

Saturday Morning Only, 9 to 12

\$5

Values to \$12.50

An amazing collection of smart new Sport Hats in various straw and silk effects. Very specially priced.

Beautiful Gage Bros. Banded Sport Hats Included

A Marvellous Pre-Easter Event
COME EARLY
KLINES—Second Floor.

Easter Footwear

Glorifying the New Modes

A clever new design. Fashioned of black satin, patent leather and Alredale suede with Spanish heel. A very special price at

\$7.50

\$8.50

A beautiful Slipper fashioned of patent leather and Alredale suede. Also gray suede. Priced unusually low at

\$6.50

KLINES—Balcony.

A Special Saturday Sale of Princess Slips

Marvelous Values



Lace-trimmed nainsook with finest quality Val and fillet edge and inserts. Others trimmed with French hemstitching, rosebuds and two-tone ribbons.

Also tailored Slips of fine English sateen, plain and striped patterns. All are straightline models and have the popular deep hem.

All Sizes 36 to 44

\$1.95

Cotton Underwear

Gowns, bloomers, envelope chemise, step-in drawers and Princess slips. Painty, adorable underthings. Very special at

\$1

KLINES—Main Floor.



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In the Misses' S

Stunning Easter Frocks of crepe satin, crepe de chine, Roshanara, lace, Georgette—the new fancy stripe broad cloth silks. All the accepted fashions for morning, afternoon and evening Springtime occasions.

\$39.75 to \$195

In the Jaunty J

Girls' Easter Coats in many new styles. You will admire their materials—their colors. Some of side fastenings; others double-breasted—tan, green, rose, Copen. 7 to 14 years. Two special groups.

\$11.75 and \$15.75

Excellent assortment of Junior Girls' Coats, 12 to 15 years, at

\$17.50, \$19.75—up to \$35

Our Alteration Department is equipped

Women's English

Sport Vests

Special Values

At \$3.98—Peasant red and Peasant green display unique and lovely designs in black, all-over embroidery. Slips on at this price are V-necked and come in solid shades of Peasant red and Peasant green. All sizes.

At \$6.75—Vests of mannish tailoring, in attractive solid shades, bound in silk braid of contrasting color. Buff, Lavender, poudre blue, and white.

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An Important Easter at a Special P



Also a special group of Leather Bags, on Thrift Avenue and Square 6.

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

'Tis the Day Before Easter



Charming Selection—Attractive Values
Are Offered Saturday
In the Misses' Store

Stunning Easter Frocks of crepe satin, crepe de chine, Roshanara, lace, Georgette—or the new fancy stripe broad-cloth silks. All the accepted fashions for morning, afternoon and evening Springtime occasions.

\$39.75 to \$195

Her new tailored Suit will have short box or finger-tip length coat, and slender, wrap-around skirt. Double breasted or cutaway. Braid bound. Poirer twill, charmeen, smart checks. Two specially priced groups.

\$38 and \$48

Topcoats of unusual smartness, quality and variety are featured in Downey wool, block chinchilla, Poirer twill, sporting plaids and checks. Straightlines, tailored collars, deep pockets.

\$25 to \$49.50

(Third Floor.)

In the Jaunty Junior Section

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\$11.75 and \$15.75

Excellent assortment of Junior Girls' Coats, 12 to 16 years, at \$17.50, \$19.75—up to \$35.00

Our Alteration Department is equipped to render last-minute service in making alterations in garments purchased in our Apparel Sections.

Women's English Sport Vests
Special Values

At \$3.98—Peasant red and Peasant green display unique and lovely designs in black, all-over embroidery. Slipons at this price are V-necked and come in solid shades of Peasant red and Peasant green. All sizes.

At \$6.75—Vests of mannish tailored shades, bound in silk braid of contrasting color. Buff, Lanvin green, poudre blue, and white.



(Sweaters, Third Floor.)

Special Purchase!
500 Dimity Blouses

\$1.50



A DELIGHTFUL collection—all in slipover style! Very tailored, as the mode demands—finished with V or Peter Pan collar, wide belt, and long, well-fitting sleeves. Some show dainty lace trimmings—others touches of color, in addition to quantities, all white.

Sizes 36 to 46.

(Third Floor.)

Beaded Pouch Bags
An Important Easter Offering,
at a Special Price—

\$5.95



THESE Beaded Pouchbags have become a favorite costume accessory, and this special offering enables you to have one for Easter, at a definite saving in price. There is a very great variety of color combinations, including the pastel tints, and striking effects in darker colors. Each Bag is mounted on a filling frame, and has a dainty chain or beaded handle. Beautifully lined with silk in light colors.

(Bag Dept.—Main Floor.)

Also a special group of Leather Bags, on Thrift Avenue and Square 6.

\$2.98

(Main Floor.)

Your Easter Gloves

May Be Chosen Saturday From Our Complete Assortments, at Moderate Prices

Novelty Silk Gloves
At \$3 to \$5

Of the popular Milanese weave; 16-button length, arms trimmed with tucks, frills and embroidery. Mode, pongee, silver, gray, beaver, black and white.

Novelty Kid Gloves
At \$4.25

Of the finest imported kid, P.K. sewn with heavy two-toned embroidered backs. Short flare and turn-back cuffs in all the new shades.

Novelty Gauntlets of Silk
\$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00

A comprehensive showing of smart novelties and plain Gauntlets, with flare cuff or cuffs that turn back; Van Raalte and Kaiser makes, double tipped, shown in Spring colors and white, in all sizes.

Novelty Kid Gauntlets at \$3.50

These smart Gauntlets have small flare cuff perforated and cut out in very attractive designs. One clasp at wrist; embroidered backs. Black, white, brown and beaver.

Long Kid Gloves at \$5

Perrin's best quality imported Kid Gloves, 12-button length, in black, brown, gray and beaver, with Paris point backs; oversewn sewn.

Long Silk Gloves
At \$2 to \$3

Kayser make, in the 16-button length of Milanese weave; double tipped. All the new Spring shades and all sizes.

Misses' Long Gloves
\$1.75 and \$2

Plain and tucked models, double tipped; embroidered backs. Sizes 3 to 7; white and pongee colors.

(Main Floor.)

Smart Easter Footwear

For Women
"The Mandarin"

—a new strap Sandal, with short vamp, Spanish heel, and fancy cut-out lattice, featured in kid, in the new brilliant Chinese colors—red, purple, green, blue and bisque. Pair, \$12.00

Also in patent leather or satin at \$10.00

"The Loretto"

—a distinctive strap Sandal with short vamp and Spanish heel.

Black Satin \$10 White Kid \$12.50

Brown Satin \$10 Apricot Kid \$12.50

"Red Cross" Footwear

—a special showing of smart new models in Red Cross Footwear. This complete assortment includes styles from staple two-strap Oxfords to the newest novelties in strap and sandal effects. Priced moderately from \$7.50 to \$17.50

For Children
Smart Strap Slippers for Girls

Here you'll find a most pleasing assortment of styles in patent leather and the new shades of suede—Airedale and Jack Rabbit—with unusual effects in straps and cut-outs. All of them have well-sewed soles and rubber heels and are of fine quality.

Sizes 8½ to 11, \$3.50 and \$4.00
Sizes 11½ to 13, \$4.00 to \$5.50
Sizes 1½ to 7, \$5.00 to \$6.50

Sport Oxfords for Boys

—in smart elkskin combinations, very new and attractive. Rubber soles and heels.

Sizes 11 to 13½, \$4.50
Sizes 1 to 6, \$5.00

Other styles for boys—in the renowned "Like Dad" make: brown, black, and tan calfskin.

Sizes 11 to 13½, \$3.95 to \$5.00
Sizes 1 to 6, \$3.45 to \$5.00

(Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)



Easter Fashions
in Loveliest Millinery
That Will Be Smart
for Summer Wear

\$12 to \$20

COLORS may be radiant this season—brims may spread their beauty. Especially is this noticeable in those models of leghorn, laces, transparent hair and openwork hems which adopt embroideries, droopy feathers, floating laces and gay flower trimmings, in manners that are both charming and individual.

Silken fabrics oftentimes repeat their beauty in unique ornamentation.

The cloche and the tricorn, too, will be found in attractive variation in this picturesque group.



Children's Easter Hats

\$2.50 to \$9

—a fairly bewildering assortment of sprightly, youthful models that include lovely leghorns, flower or ribbon trimmed, hems, Milans—delightful Spring shades. Here may the wee miss revel in the selection of her Easter Bonnet.

(Millinery—Third Floor.)

Hosiery Special

For Saturday

\$1.59 Pair

THREAD silk Hose of medium and chiffon weights are offered as a special attraction for Easter shoppers. Some of the Hose are all-silk; others have tops and soles of mercerized lisle. All of them are full fashioned, strongly reinforced and free from imperfections. Onyx and other fine makes included.

Black and Favored Colors for Spring

(Main Floor.)

Real Lace Neckwear

At **\$5.98**



EXQUISITE Collars in beautiful combinations of Irish and fillet lace; with or without cuffs. Jenny, roll or Buster styles that will add grace to the Easter frock or suit. Ecru and cream tints.

Real Lace Guimpes, \$2.98

Another shipment of these lovely Guimpes just received, and offered special for Easter. They are daintily combined with Irish, fillet and Val, complete with Buster collars. (Main Floor.)

New Bracelets

Stone-Set and Slave-Link Styles

\$1 to \$6

BRACELETS you will want to complete your Easter costume. The smartest women are wearing as many as six or eight, in different styles, on one arm.

Our assortments include many beautiful novelties in stone-set Bracelets with one, two, three or five rows of tiny brilliants in a single color or in combinations.

Slave-Link Bracelets, very new and smart, are shown in many variations.

(Main Floor.)



Necklaces and Chains

Of Indestructible Pearls

\$2.95 and \$3.95



"EMPRESS OF INDIA" indestructible Pearl Necklaces, in delicate flesh luster; graduated 18 to 30 inch lengths, offered special for Saturday. Guaranteed not to peel, break or discolor.

60-inch-long Chains of pearl beads, in choice of two sizes, are also offered at these prices.

(Main Floor.)

Thrift Avenue

—has interesting offerings for Saturday. Many things appropriate to the Easter season have been specially marked and will be displayed here. In every instance there is a strong value appeal. Visit Thrift Avenue Saturday—you will be well repaid by the values you secure in merchandise of dependable and desirable quality.

(Main Floor.)

Easter Candies

3-Pound Easter Special, \$2.25

BOX is packed with our best chocolates, crystallized fruits, bonbons, nut jumbles and other assorted Candies of the best quality.

Filled Easter Boxes, packed to resemble a nest with eggs, rabbits and chocolates.

25c, 50c, 70c and \$1.00

Filled Easter Baskets, 19c and up

Hard-boiled and beautifully colored Eggs, dozen, 39c

Milk Chocolate Rabbits, Bunnies, Chicks, Lambs, Roosters, Storks, in various sizes, 10c to \$1.00

Your Name Written on Any Egg at a Small Additional Cost. We Ship by Parcel Post Anywhere.

(Square 15, Main Floor, and Candy Department.)

Easter Bakery Goodies

Easter Eggs of cake, decorated, each 15c and 30c.

Large Angel Cake, special, 54c.

Cake Bunnies, each 25c.

Coffee Cake Rabbits, each 20c.

(Main Floor.)



Books Are Ideal Easter Gifts—
Give Your Child
a Bible for Easter
Visit Our Book Shop
SIXTH FLOOR.

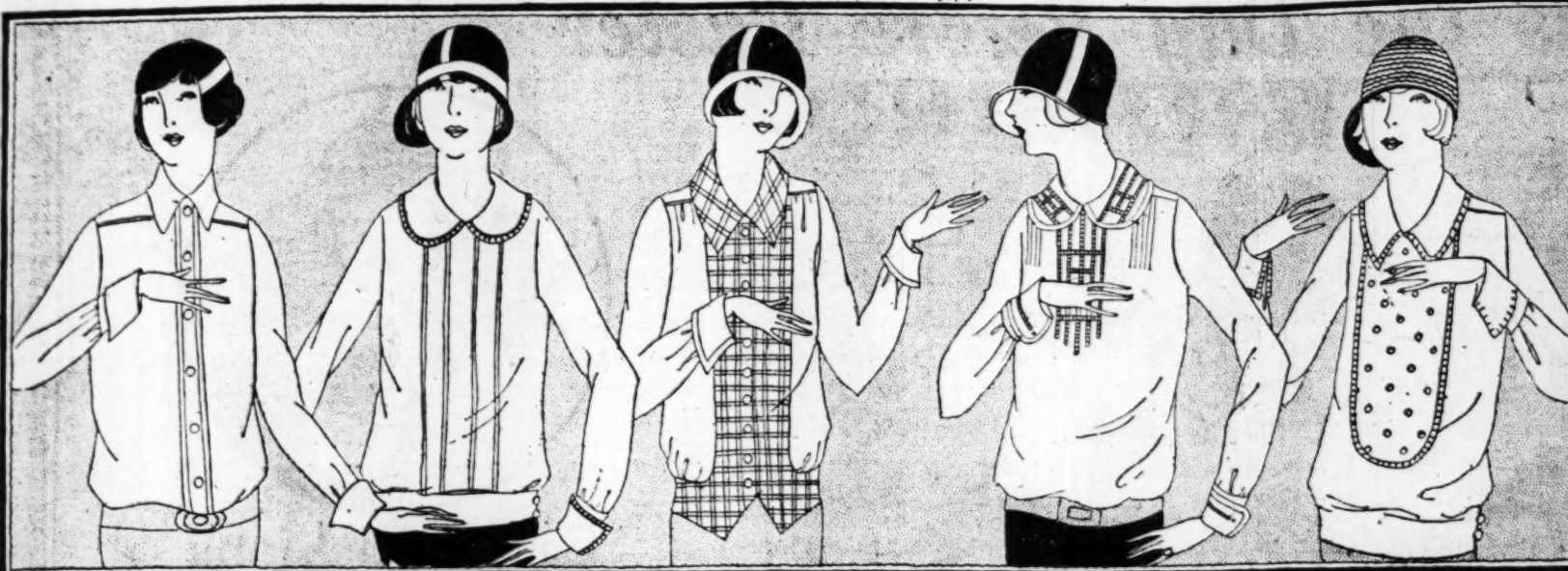
Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Store Hours: Daily, 9 to 5:30; Saturday, 9 to 6

Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth

Our Delicious Easter Special

A beautifully packed box containing chocolate rabbits, Easter eggs, assorted chocolates and buns.
Very Special, 2 Lbs. for \$1.00
Candy Shop—First Floor.



Saturday—Sale of 3000 Blouses and Flannel Vests

Blouse Styles

Handmade English Broadcloths with hand embroidery and hand drawn work. Some with vestees and pointed vest fronts.

Pointed collars, swagger collars, Sally collars, Van Heusen collars and cuffs, Peter Pan collars and cuffs.

Trimmings and Colors

All-white, tan, blue, salmon, maize and color combinations. Touches of color, hemstitching, piping, monograms, loop ties. All sizes.

Blouses
\$1.95

THE boyish effect of the new Tailleur mode is attractively supplied by these Blouses and Flannel Vests.

Of extraordinary value at these low prices—the Vests in qualities never before shown at any price near this special pricing. These Blouses and Vests are remarkably smart.

Many different styles are offered in both. Blouses of imported English broadcloth, dimity, silkentex, voile—many with embroidered linen collars and cuffs. In models that suggest many chic Spring and Summer costumes. All sizes.

Blouse Shop—Third Floor.

Vests
\$2.95

The Vests

Sleeveless Flannel Jaquettes, well tailored. Some with pointed front, other styles with collars or without. Bound and piped with silk braid.

Colors and Trimmings

Tan, red, poudre blue, Madonna blue, Kelly green, gray, black and navy. With white braid or bound in contrasting shade. Button trimmed.



Kleinert's Little Red
Riding Hood Rain
Capes for Kiddies
Ages 4 to 12 at
\$2.00

Light in weight, made of good quality rubber, these Rain Capes come with hood attached. In solid colors—blue, green, gray and red.
Notion Shop—First Floor.

Boys' Accessories For Easter

Broadcloth
Blouses
\$3.50

Come in plain blue, tan, gray or white, made with sports neck or polo collar; neatly tailored. Sizes 7 to 14 years.

New Ties
\$1.00

In a large and varied assortment, in the new Spring shades and colors. Fashioned of crepe or foulard.

Boys' Furnishing Shop—Second Floor.

"Hickok"
Sport Belts
\$1.50

Come in many pretty patterns of plaids or stripes, with neatly made tongue buckle. Full range of sizes.

Caps
\$1.50

Neatly tailored Caps in one-piece style in gray and tan, in plain or fancy patterns. Full range of sizes.

Coat Sweaters
\$7.50

Of fine-ribbed wool, without collar; have two to four pockets. Colors are tan or brown heather mixtures. Sizes 4 to 16.



The Junior Shop Offers New

Suits - Coats - Dresses

Suits

Sizes 12 to 17.

\$19.75 to \$35.00

Smart little boyish Suits, in 1 and 2 button styles with patch pockets. Materials of tweeds, and twill cloths. Colors gray, tan and navy.

Topcoats

Sizes 6 to 17 Years.

\$12.75 \$29.75 \$49.75

Many charming styles to choose from in flare and straightline models. Unusually priced for Coats of such excellent quality and workmanship.

In all of the new Spring materials and shades.

White Frocks for Confirmation and First Communion

Ages 6 to 14, \$3.95 to \$19.75
Ages 12 to 17, \$12.75 to \$35.00

This wonderful assortment of Dresses has arrived and is on display ready for your selection for Easter occasions.

Trimmings of satin ribbon, dainty laces and ruffles. Some styles straight, others with full skirts.

Frock in sketch of crepe de chine at \$25.00

Junior Shop—Third Floor.

New Easter Millinery for Juveniles

\$1.95 \$2.95 \$5.00

The fashions that smart little girls are wearing, reproduced in Milan and leghorns, for everyday or for festive occasions.

Gray little shingle bob modes with fascinating ribbons and bits of embroidery, and even bright ornaments.

Bring the children in Saturday if you haven't already purchased their Easter Hats—a most unusual assortment for section.

Juvenile Millinery Shop—Third Floor.



Fashion's Latest Whim—

The Silk Ma Jong Umbrella

\$7.50 to \$15.00

This novel Umbrella is made short and convenient to carry. A charming conception it is, uniquely designed with wide spread in Chinese effect, and the new stubby handle and stubby ferrules.

In navy, green, brown, purple, black, plaids, or black and white borders.

Women's Sport Canes

\$1.50 to \$8.50

These smart Canes are the season's complement to the tailleur costume. With leather armwings, and white pyralin or colored bakelite knobs and tear drops.

Briteye Parasols

For Little Girls

\$1.00 to \$5.00

Made of pink or blue flowered cretonne or silk. Topped with a charming doll's head. Prettily finished with ruffles and banding.

Umbrella Shop—First Floor.

Correct Easter and Confirmation

Boys' Suits With Extra Knickers

\$14.50
to
\$18.00

THIS splendid group of Boys' Suits offers garments unusually well cut and tailored at prices low for these qualities. In both light and dark shades of tweeds, cashmeres and cheviots. Norfolk, plain coat styles and all-around belt models. It would be well to make selections from these excellent values.

\$14.50, \$16.75 and \$18

Boys' Furnishing Shop—Second Floor.



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The Store for



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Choice
Rich Lace Coat
Beaded Geo
Lustrous
Printed Crepe
Genuine Tr
Canton C
Lovely
Smart Crepe
Lovely Ne
Finest Sil

Styles:
Lavishly B
Tailored Mode
One and Two
Apron Panel
Rich Lac

Far-sighted women who dress well on a small outlay will hundreds to buy Dresses, not alone—but they will also have an eye Summer's needs.

Many Extra Dresses in T

We have not forgotten the hard sale, and they will find astonishing sizes and models for women who

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Our Uptown Store will solve your minute—there's something you need can be made in Gloves, Hosiery, & essay to complete your costume.

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Nugent's

The Store for ALL the People

New Stone-Set Bracelets For Easter
50c, \$1.00
Set with finely cut stones to match Easter costume. Some with same color stones as Bracelets; others in contrasting colors. (Main Floor.)

Easter Sale! DRESSES

Choice of:
Rich Lace Combinations
Beaded Georgettes
Lustrous Satins
Printed Crepe de Chine
Genuine Tricoshams
Canton Crepes
Lovely Georgettes
Smart Crepe de Chine
Lovely New Sport Silks
Finest Silk Broadcloths

Styles: Long Flowing Scarf Styles
Lavishly Beaded Effects
Tailored Models Chinese Effects
One and Two Piece Sport Dresses
Apron Panels Beltless Modes
Rich Lace Trimmings

Far-sighted women who know how to dress well on a small outlay will be here by the hundreds to buy Dresses, not alone for Easter wear—but they will also have an eye for their entire Summer's needs.

Many Extra-Size Dresses in This Sale
We have not forgotten the hard-to-fit women in this sale, and they will find astonishingly large number of sizes and models for women who wear sizes up to 54.
On Sale Second Floor

Easter Gift Suggestions
\$1.00 Coty's Compacts 89c
Cheramy Floral Odor Perfumes \$1.00
Houbigant's Flacons All odors \$1.00
Perfumers \$1 to \$12
Melba Compacts New, hand-painted, purple on silver \$1.50, \$2
Ivory White, Amber and Shell Articles (Main Floor)

Sale Two-Trouser Suits Saturday

Hundreds of Them Ready for Easter!

Special Easter Offering \$29.50
Special Easter Offering \$35.00
Special Easter Offering \$44.50

IMPORTANT NOTICE—Alterations Will Be Made in Time for Easter

Your Easter selection can be made to your entire satisfaction here Saturday, from these three groups. You'll find two and three button Suits in the new loose English and semi-fitting Suits, the snappy styles young men like and the more conservative. You'll find a plenty of striped, checked, plaid and fancy patterns, as well as plain color!

Your size is here, whatever your build. And, however late your choice, we'll make alterations.

At \$48.50, \$55 and \$60

Michael Stern and Goodman Suss Suits
Suits that will commend themselves to the best dressed men. No Suits are better made!

Topcoats, \$24.50
Smart for Easter

Light-weight Coats like these identify the good dressers. On sale in a variety of styles and colors. In all sizes.



(Main Floor, Men's Store—Nugent's.)

500 New Hats Saturday



Even if your selection is late, you needn't worry. Here's a wonderful assortment of Hats—most of them have just been taken from their boxes—affording you as choice selection as you could wish.

The New Straw Hats
Embroidered Silk Hats
Canton Crepe Hats
Hair Braids Taffetas
Clever Combinations

In black, brown, sand, gray, strawberry and the smart combinations

Hats in the leading styles for Springtime and it's easy to select one to match any costume you have, so great is the variety. Lace rosettes, lovely flowers, clever bows, burnt peacock and smart applique flowers trim many of the models.
(Second Floor—Nugent's.)

On Sale

\$5

Walking Sticks

Are Here Saturday

Come here and choose from all the wanted colors. Choice of plain and fancy Bakelite tops with side leather strap and top loop arm swing. Best be early!

\$1.00

(Main Floor—Nugent's.)

Real Leather Bags



Underarm, Pouch and Swagger Styles

Spring's costume is never complete without the right purse, and in this great selection, one is sure to find just the style necessary. Every purse is nicely lined, and fitted with coin purse and mirrors. Included are a few of the new striped silk Underarm Bags of excellent value.

\$2.98

(Main Floor—Nugent's.)

Uptown Store Open Saturdays Until 9 P. M.

Our Uptown Store will solve your problems delightfully if—at the last minute—there's something you need for Easter. Satisfactory selections can be made in Gloves, Hosiery, Shoes and Neckwear—everything necessary to complete your costume. Open Saturdays until 9 p. m.

Special Easter Sales Saturday

For Girls
A Big Sale of
Dresses
White and Colored
Crepe de Chine
\$9.95 \$12.95

For the miss in her early teens or just a little girl, here are the loveliest crepe de chine Frocks one could want. White and colors, such as poudre, mohawk, Lanvin, tan, rose, brown and navy. Sizes 6 to 16.

Coats for Juniors and Girls
Pretty models for the girls to 16 years in these charming Coats, in side-tie, flared or straightline models. Plaids, stripes and plain polaires in the wanted Spring colors, such as tans, Copen, browns, Lanvin and navy.
\$5.00 Up to \$12.95
(Second Floor—Nugent's.)

For Boys
Sale Two-Pant
Suits
\$12.75 to \$14.75 Suits
\$10

For only ten dollars! Suits of light tweeds, medium and light cassimeres and cheviots in grays, tans and mixtures—all well tailored in good models. All sizes, 8 to 17 in this sale.

Two-Pant Suits on Sale
A wonderful assortment—ready at this price! Suits you'd gladly pay more for! Of neat stripes, cheviot and tweeds in Norfolk models. Both pair knickers full lined.
\$14.50
Boys' Caps \$1 and \$1.50
Big selection. Newest Spring styles.
Boys' Blouses
White satin-striped Blouses, with collars attached. Sizes 8 to 16. \$1.50
(Second Floor—Nugent's.)

Wonderful Variety of Footwear

\$5.00 Up to \$8.50

Ready for Late Easter Selection

Just what one wants for Easter wear; Straps, Sandals or Cut-Outs. Every approved style and design for immediate wear, including black satins, patents, new shades of suede and kid-skins of Oriental gray, apple green and the smart blue shades.



Fan Tan Sandal
As shown—in choice of patent calf and white calf, at \$7.50.
(Fourth Floor.)

Extra Hat Values

Saturday \$3.50 and \$4.85
See these beautiful satin-lined, silk-trimmed Hats, men, and you'll be eager to make your Easter selection at these prices. Every Hat is new! On sale in the browns, tans, blues, grays, etc., in all sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2.



John B. Stetson Hats, \$7.00
The Original Borsalino, \$10.00
(Main Floor, Men's Store—Nugent's.)

\$3.50 to \$4.50 Novelty Kid Gauntlets

Real kid, novelty gauntlets in styles that are exceedingly good for Spring wear. A great variety of styles and colors. Turn back, short and perforated cuffs. \$2.95

\$6.00 Gloves
Trafousses. Finest quality. French Kid Gloves in 12-button length. Oversewn seams and pretty embroidered backs. White, mode, gray, brown and beaver. \$4.85

Novelty Gauntlets Trefousse
Beautiful novelty cuff gauntlets of fine quality French kid. Embroidered backs. Come in black with mode combined, also gray, mode and brown. \$4.95

Novelty Gauntlets Trefousse
Short and turn back cuff gauntlets with contrasting embroidery and kid inserts. A large number to select from in black, mode, brown and gray. \$5.95
(Main Floor—Nugent's.)

Lovely Frocks

Of Irish Linen, Dotted Voile and Tissue Gingham
This Popular Make:

Sunbeam

Specially Priced at

\$5.00

Colors:
New Green Copen
Tangerine Rose
Orchid Blue
Pekin Blue Tan
Canary Peach
Leather Jade
Coral Pink
French Blue

Trimmings:
Embroidered
Lace Trimmed
Braidings
Hemstitched
Organdy
Collars—Cuffs
Crochet and
Pearl Buttons

The Linens used in making these frocks are all pre-shrunk and of the soft quality only found in the better grades. The Tissue Gingham are the sheer quality so much in demand. The Voiles are in the flock dot pattern and are guaranteed to wash and the dots remain permanent.
(Fourth Floor—Nugent's.)



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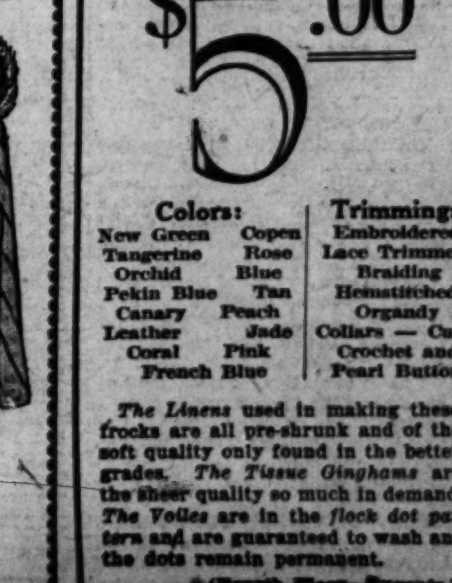
200 New Easter Coats
\$6.95
Plain Polairs Plaids Herringbone
All the new Spring styles included in this sale at this price. Most of the Coats are full lined. All colors for Spring. Sizes for women and misses, 14 to 44. Included are 50 poudre jackets.
(Bargain Basement—Nugent's.)

BARGAIN BASEMENT

865 New Easter Coats
\$9.75
Suedines Velours Camelines Crossbars Plaids, Stripes
Side-ties, belted, loose-back, youthful and conservative models. Colors: Tan, gray, moss green, brick, reindeer. Sizes: Misses' 14 to 20; women's 36 to 46.
(Bargain Basement—Nugent's.)

BARGAIN BASEMENT

642 New Easter Coats
\$12.95
Berkshire Plaids Curry Plaid Stripes Combinations Britania Crepe
All the newest Spring models and designs. Only the most desirable colors in the lot. Sizes: Misses', 14 to 20; women's, 36 to 46; extra, 43 to 51.
(Bargain Basement—Nugent's.)



Umbrella

carry. A charming Chinese effect, and

Parasols

for Little Girls
to \$5.00
or blue flowered cretonne or with a charming doll's head with ruffles and banding.

CABINET MEETING DISCUSSED BUSINESS CONDITIONS

Mellon Believes New Activities Forming Will Check Economic Tendency Toward Slump.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Secretary Mellon regards present business as at an ebb, but considers the condition as not highly consequential, it was said yesterday at the Treasury, where it was disclosed also that the general situation had been discussed at a recent cabinet meeting. Most of the cabinet, it was said, holds the same view as the Treasury head, who believes that there is sufficient new business originating to check the present tendency toward a lessening of activity.

The credit situation is regarded by Mellon as good and indications at the Treasury point to little sentiment prevailing for tampering with the redoubtable rates of the Federal Reserve banks. The Reserve Board itself has only one or two members holding the view that changes in the discount rate are advisable at this time. The others, who are in the majority, apparently have become convinced that the same purposes can be accomplished through control of open market operations of the Reserve banks as can be had by alteration of the discount charge.

Some of the cabinet members regard present business conditions as pitiful in that the stocks held by most retailers are low and their replenishment imminent. The cabinet generally believes, it was stated, that the administration's efforts toward relieving agriculture have met with a degree of success, and that the results will be much more apparent in two months. President Coolidge takes the attitude, it is understood, that the farm relief program has been directed properly, and his advisors insist that the returns to the farmers this year will prove the wisdom of the course adopted.

JOHNSON BROS. DRUGS 712 AND ST. CHARLES

EASTER CIGAR

Sale Extraordinary MURIEL Triumph Size

Regular 50c Package of 5, 35c; 50 Box, \$3.50

2 for 25c Size 5 for 45c; 25 Box, \$2.25

POW-HA-TAN 5c Value 5 for 25c; 50 Box, \$2.50

Don Julian, Chancellor, Red Tan, 10c; 100 Box, \$10.00

3 for 25c; 50 Box, \$3.95

2 for 25c Size 5 for 50c; 50 Box, \$4.95

15c Str. Size 5 for 60c; 50 Box, \$5.95

3 for 50c Size 5 for 70c; 50 Box, \$6.95

Hauptmann, Niles & Moore, Rite, 10c; 100 Box, \$10.00

4 for 24c; 25 Box, \$1.50

New Currency, Little Mollie, Red, 10c; 100 Box, \$10.00

6 for 25c; 50 Box, \$2.00

CIGAR SNAPS

10c (2c size), 10 for 35c

George IV (2c size), 10 for 35c

Box of 50, \$3.50

Box of 100, \$7.00

Box of 250, \$17.50

Box of 500, \$35.00

Box of 1000, \$70.00

Box of 2500, \$175.00

Box of 5000, \$350.00

Box of 10000, \$700.00

Box of 25000, \$1750.00

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JURY DISREGARDS CONFESSION IN AUTO FATALITY

Statement Signed Before Five Witnesses Holds No Weight When Negro Testifies Police Beat Him.

TESTIMONY HE WAS AT HOME DANCING

Acquittal Verdict in Case of Herman Young, Tried for Death of a Five-Year-Old Boy.

A written confession, made and signed in the presence of five witnesses, that on Feb. 4 he feloniously drove an automobile away, after having run down and killed 5-year-old Michael Seitz, was disregarded by a jury in Judge Hamilton's court, which, after three days' testimony and argument yesterday acquitted Herman Young, a negro, the owner-driver of the car.

The confession was made Feb. 8 to Capt. Kirk of the Soudard Street Police Station, put in writing and then read to the negro, who was composed and showed no evidence of ill-treatment during the 24 hours of his incarceration. His signature was witnessed and signed by two other police officers, two negroes, who were arrested with Young as having been in the car at the time, and a Post-Dispatch reporter.

Jury Disregards Confession. At the time the reporter asked Young if he had been treated well and the reply was yes. The reporter also asked why the negro fled. The negro hesitated, and when it was suggested that he "was afraid and did not know what he was doing," the negro replied again in the affirmative.

All this was testified to, but the jury chose to believe Young's story, that he had been led to the police station basement and whipped with barrel staves and a billy until he agreed to confess. Also they accepted the testimony of other negroes that Young was at his home at 212 Johnson street, practicing dance steps with a girl.

Boy Aided in Arrest. It will be recalled that the Seitz boy was killed in front of his home at 1748 South Broadway, as he ran across the street to join an older brother. The car slowed up, then sped away, but not before George Dill, 13-year-old playmate of the Seitz boy, got a good look at the car. It was on his minute description of the car—a big automobile of an old model—that police went to Young's home and made the arrest.

In his confession, Young furnished the police a detailed account of his route and errands on the fatal trip, including a visit to a tire store, which checked up accurately.

His two negro companions—George Mackabee of 2128 Clark street and Morris Washington of 216 Johnson street—at the time described their seating positions in the car, but changed their stories at the inquest, contending that they rode with Young on a trip down South Broadway in the morning of Feb. 4. The boy was killed about 5:20 p. m. as it was getting dark.

Dill Boy Witness at Trial. At the trial the Dill boy repeated his minute description of the death car, which tallied with Young's, but the two other witnesses clung to their altered story of the hour of the trip, and supported the defense's alibi that the car was packed in front of Young's home at the time the boy was run down and killed.

Young was defended by a negro attorney. He had been in jail since his arrest—a period of two months and 11 days.

PERSIA TO IGNORE ANY 'SPHERE OF INFLUENCE' DEAL

Notifies League She Will Not Be Bound by Anglo-Russian Negotiations.

By the Associated Press. GENEVA, April 13.—A new kind of problem was sensationally thrust upon the League of Nations today. This was when Persia officially gave notice that she would be bound in no way by the negotiations between Russia and Great Britain, concerning spheres of interest in Persia.

On the assumption that the day of influence has definitely passed, Persia has forwarded to the league copies of correspondence, which she alleges passed between Soviet Russia and Great Britain, looking to a revision of the agreement of 1907 between Great Britain and Great Britain, under which the Russian sphere was fixed for Northern Persia and the British for Southern Persia.

The Persian Government has forwarded to the league copies of correspondence between Persia and the British Foreign Office on the subject and requests the league to distribute the entire correspondence among members of the league. As Persia has made no appeal under the Covenant of the League, on the ground that international peace is endangered, the

duty of the league in the matter seems unclear. After a meeting of the heads of the various sections of the league, however, it was decided that all states should be informed on the question. Persia is expected to make an issue of the matter at the next session of the assembly of the league.

Another Russian State Loan.

MOSCOW, April 13.—To cover the 400,000,000 rubles deficit in the budget and to stabilize the new currency the Council of Commissars has issued a new 5 per cent state loan of 100,000,000 rubles. This makes three loans of 100,000,000 rubles each, in addition to the peasant loan, amounting to 50,000,000 rubles. Up to May 1, it is estimated, new money and treasury notes will be issued, in addition to the loans, amounting to 100,000,000 rubles. The total amount of currency and paper money in circulation is 415,000,000, or one-fifth of the prewar figure.

Don't Rub Corns

the life out of your clothes. Protect them from the wear and tear of the ordinary washing methods by using Staufers, for 25 years the favorite laundry bar in St. Louis. You simply boil the dirt out. Will not injure the finest fabrics.

Every grocer sells Staufers. One bar of Staufers equals two of soap. Over a million and a half bars sold in St. Louis last year.

Excellent for washing dishes, cleaning linens, furniture, woodwork, floors, etc.

STAUFR'S LAUNDRY TABLETS

Corns

Pain Stops Instantly Here's instant relief from that burning corn! Blue-jay will stop the pain instantly. Then the corn loosens and comes out. Does away with dangerous pricking. Get Blue-jay at your druggist.

50 Hurt in New Orleans Storm. By the Associated Press. NEW ORLEANS, April 13.—Fifty persons were injured in a severe wind and hail storm which swept over sections of New Orleans last night, wrecking a score of residences and damaging others. Police believe property damage will exceed \$200,000.

Blue-jay

RALSTON NOT A CANDIDATE

Says He "Will Play Part of Patriot" If Nominated.

By the Associated Press. BEACH CITY, April 13.—United States Senator Samuel Ralston (Dem.) of Indianapolis, is not a candidate for the presidential nomination, but "if what seems to be impossible" happens, he "will play the part of a patriot," he wrote Postmaster A. B. Wingate, a boyhood friend of New Cumberland, their birthplace.

"I am not seeking the nomination, nor am I intending to have my friends put a movement on foot in my interest," the letter states.

Take Calotabs

for the liver

Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

DR. KING'S

Exasperating COUGHS

NOT only you—but all around you are annoyed by the constant hacking of a persistent cough. Dr. King's Cough Syrup breaks coughs quickly, stimulating the mucous membrane to throw off the clogging conditions. Has a pleasant taste, no drugs.

DR. KING'S

Sonnenfeld's

L. ACKERMAN, President

Your Easter Choker Is Here!

Hundreds of Fox Chokers

At Any Price Women Desire to Pay

\$25 \$35 \$45

Others Up to \$495

Madam's Easter Suit, Coat or Dress simply will not be complete without one of these soft, silky fashionable Chokers coiled around her neck, draped about the shoulder or carried on her arm. All colors, no matter what shade one may prefer.

Other one and two skin Chokers of fashionable furs at prices from \$15 to \$295.

(Fur Shop—Third Floor.)

First-Floor Features Silk Underwear

Gowns, step-ins, chemises, vests and long camisoles of silk and combination materials. All sizes.

\$1.95

Voile Underwear

French voile Gowns and Chemises, hemstitched and embroidered. Also Philippine Gowns, Chemises and Slips, trimmed with hand embroidery and drawwork. All sizes.

\$1.95

Fiber Petticoats

Fiber silk Petticoats with pleated, fancy flounces. All the new pastel colors. All sizes.

\$2.65

Satinay Slips

Plain and striped Slips with 20-inch shadow, proof hems. Self- straps, various colors. All sizes.

\$1.95

Dimity Blouses

Overblouse styles with Peter Pan collars and newest sleeve and cuff effects. Tan and white shades. All sizes.

\$1.95

Wash Blouses

—of broadcloth and dimity with wanted collar effects—and smartly trimmed. White and white with contrasting trimming. All sizes.

\$2.95

Morning Special—9 to 12 Only

To \$25 Topcoats

SIZES FOR MISSES AND WOMEN AND EXTRA

SIZES UP TO 52

\$15

New Spring models in the favorite Spring materials and styles. Smart Coats for general wear.

(Third Floor.)

Morning Special—9 to 12

Up to \$2.95 Untrimmed Hats

In All Colors

—of Milan hemp, fancy hemp, timbo, peanut straw and novelty straw. Styles for misses and women.

\$1

Knitted Suits and Dresses

At About Half Price

Wool and wool-and-fiber Suits and Dresses in styles for sports, street and general wear. New colors and combinations.

\$5.95

(Blouse Shop—First Floor.)



The Shoe Shop Presents

Lattice Straps

As One of Many Easter Style Suggestions....

\$10

An attractive latticework pattern in black satin and patent leather, finished with high or low heels.

Other Easter Styles at \$8 to \$15

(Shoe Shop—First Floor.)



Cunningly Styled

Children's Hats

For Easter and Later Wear.

\$4.95 to \$12

Cute little dressy Hats, smart semi-tailored models and jaunty sport Hats in scores of delightful styles for children and young misses. Materials of novelty straw and silk combinations. All new Spring colors.

(Children's Shop—Second Floor.)

NOTE!

Now if there is anybody in the St. Louis that cannot afford new clothes would like to know about it! I mean prices and terms are so low that even well dressed on Easter Sunday! Look here—then come in and meet me

Mark Appleman

\$ Both Suit



Exasperating COUGHS—

NOT only you—but all those around you are annoyed by the constant hacking of a persistent cough. Dr. King's New Discovery breaks coughs quickly by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off the clogging mucus. Has a pleasant taste. Ask your druggist.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

The House
of
Courtesy."



Wonderful Hat?
New Models

at... \$5



Shoe Shop Presents
Nice Straps

of Many \$10

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BUY NOW — DRESS UP FOR EASTER



NOTE!

Now if there is anybody in the entire city of St. Louis that cannot afford new clothes this Easter I would like to know about it! I maintain that my prices and terms are so low that everybody can be well dressed on Easter Sunday! Look over the values here—then come in and meet me personally.

Mark Appelman

Hurry--Men!
\$5 Gives You
Both a Two-Pants
Suit and Topcoat



Saturday is your last chance to get new clothes for Easter, men! My Men's Department is ready to serve you better than ever before! Many new arrivals here for last-day buyers! Extra tailors here to serve you—extra salesmen! I positively guarantee that you will have your purchase in time for Easter! Just bring \$5—get both a Suit and Topcoat! Special showing for as low as.....

\$29.75

LAMP
FREE
With
Every
Purchase



Thousands of
Suits & Topcoats
to Choose From

Ladies—Both
This Coat and Dress
for Only \$5.00 DOWN

Ladies! If you have waited until the last day to your Easter shopping you are indeed fortunate. I am featuring many new arrivals for Saturday that are on display for the first time. They represent the very newest and most fastidious styles—New York's last-minute modes are all here—get both a Dress and Coat for only \$5 down.

LAMP FREE

Notwithstanding the fact that I am giving you both your Dress and Coat for only \$5 down, in addition I am going to give you a beautiful electric boudoir lamp, pictured elsewhere in this ad, absolutely FREE! Come in Saturday—get your outfit for Easter—get a lamp FREE! Special showing of Coats and Dresses for as low as

\$14.95
UP



We carry
the finest
stock of
Suits & Coats
and Dresses
in St. Louis.

This Lovely
Lamp
FREE!

SATURDAY being the last shopping day before Easter, it is the last appropriate time that I can give you one of these beautiful Electric Boudoir Lamps absolutely FREE! This is my Easter gift to you—get yours Saturday! FREE with every purchase without any red tape! Come in, open a charge account—meet me Saturday!



Hurry—
Last
Day!

Let Me Give
You One

I'd like to give every person in St. Louis one of these Lamps but I haven't enough to go around, so I urge you to come early for yours. It is even larger than the illustration—stands 12 inches high—has a beautiful ivory finish and parchment shade. I give it to you complete with socket, cord and plug!

Open Sat.
Till 9 O'Clock

Opposite
Famous-Barr
Second Floor

RAY'S
CLOTHING ON CREDIT
N.E. CORNER 6th and OLIVE

ZACHRITZ FILES FOR OFFICE

Seeks Republican Nomination for Circuit Attorneyship.

Arthur Zachritz, former St. Louis member of the law firm of McCarthy, Morris & Zachritz, yesterday filed for the Republican nomination for the Circuit Attorneyship.

He was graduated from St. Louis University law school in 1912. He served at Camp Pike and Camp Funston during the war, with the rank of lieutenant. He lives at 4126 Wyoming street.

William R. MacCreedy, 4126 Delmar boulevard, filed for Republican committee of the Twenty-third Ward.

C. Williams
Sixth and Franklin
We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

Specials for Easter!

Boys' Trouser Crease Oxfords

Sizes 10 to 13½
\$3.00

Sizes 2½ to 6 \$4.00

The popular style that every boy wants. Round, French or square toe models made of patent leather, brown calf or black calf. Welt soles; rubber heels.

Boys' School Shoes

Sizes 10 to 13½
\$2.00

Sizes 1 to 6 \$3.00

All-leather shoes that will give long and satisfactory service. Made of mahogany or black calf in square or round toe styles. Machine-sewed soles, rubber heels. Neat looking and are extra good value.

Men's Dress Oxfords

A Williams Special at \$5.00

Here you can get almost any style Oxford you want for five dollars. The strikingly handsome, plain toe, creased vamp model; also square, French or round toe style. Nut brown, mahogany, black calf or patent leather.

Men's Dress Shoes

Your Favorite Model Is Here—Only \$5.00

Whatever kind or color of Dress Shoe you have in mind—it's here. Our \$5 line offers you practically unlimited choice. Square, round or French toe styles in kid or calf—mahogany, brown or black. Welt soles, rubber heels.

Men's Bunion Shoes

Easy on Your Feet and Easy to Buy at \$5.00

Instant and permanent relief to tired, tender or aching feet. Get a pair and enjoy walking. Blucher lace style, with tip, comes in brown or black kid, sizes 6 to 12; widths D, EE and EEEE. Plain toe, lace and Congress styles in black kid or black calf. Sizes 6 to 12; widths E to EE.

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WHAT HAPPENS TO
MONEY AT CLAYTON

Claimants to \$2400 Taken From Short Change Artist Soon Reduce It To \$20.

Out of the \$2400 turned over to the Sheriff's office at Clayton by George Stephano, 45, short change artist, Chief Deputy Lill is clinging to a lonely \$20 bill to be used as evidence Monday when Stephano is to be tried for making \$350 disappear from two Wellston banks. The remainder of the \$2400 has gone a tortuous way into many hands.

Hardly had the man been placed in the county jail and the money in a safe deposit box when lawyers and alleged victims of Stephano's nimble fingers began clamoring for the money. Lill didn't know who had a right to it, so he kept it. Then they sued for it in justice courts.

Matter Referred to Court. The perplexed Chief Deputy filed a petition in circuit court explaining that Stephano and the two lawyers, three banks and one other alleged victim who claimed a share in the money, had contrary interests, the petitioner didn't know what to do about it, and he wished the court would take over the money—and incidentally the trouble.

The court got both. Judge Wurdeman ordered that the \$20, which had been identified by a stamped mark by a teller at the First National Bank of Wellston, be returned to the Sheriff's office for evidence. Of the remainder, \$1000 was to go to E. McDonald Stevens and Thomas Carlos, lawyers, who showed an assignment signed by Stephano, \$150 to the Sheriff's attorney, George F. Heege, and \$280 was to be returned to the First National Bank of Wellston, \$120 to the Easton-Taylor Trust Co., \$100 to G. P. Perkins and \$100 to the State Bank of Wellston. Justice court costs, \$15, was to be added to each except Heege's.

That seemed to settle it until Ed Rustic of Chicago, where Stephano had said he lived, came along with a petition to the effect that Stephano had been a messenger for Rustic, merely carrying \$1500 of the \$2400 from somewhere to somewhere else—in slightly different but equally definite legal phrasing—and he wanted his \$1500.

Last Ruling of Judge. Judge Wurdeman's last action was to rule that, after the claims of Perkins and the three banks be satisfied, Carlos and Stevens receive \$175, and the remainder be turned over to Rustic and Joseph J. Williams, who had entered his appearance as the third attorney for Stephano. It's all gone now, except the \$20 bill.

'MOVIE' OPERATOR ARRESTED
AS BAUER MURDER SUSPECT

Prisoner Admits Sending Pistol to Brother Four Days After Woman Was Slain.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Harry Hoffman, a motion picture machine operator, is held as a material witness in connection with the murder of Mrs. Maude Bauer on March 25.

His arrest followed a severe cross-examination by police, who said they had found numerous discrepancies in his latest story and the one told them when he previously was questioned. While he was being examined, a young woman identified him as a man who, some time ago, took her to a lonely spot on Staten Island and attacked her.

The police said Hoffman had become acquainted with Mrs. Bauer through her attendance at a motion picture theater where he worked. Detectives said they had in their possession an automatic pistol which was sent by Hoffman to his brother four days after the murder. Mrs. Bauer was killed by a bullet from a similar weapon.

"Hoffman confessed he had conspired with his brother to tell the police that he had sent him the gun on a previous date," Detective Captain Van Wagner said today. "He broke down and told us that after he had given the pistol to his brother he destroyed the holster."

WEEK'S HOLIDAY FOR RUSSIA Starting April 26, Easter, No Union Men Will Work Until May 3.

MOSCOW, April 18.—Beginning April 26, nearly the whole of Russia will go on a full week's holiday. After a lengthy dispute over the calendar between the Russian Orthodox church and the Holy Synod, the civil authorities have fixed the date of the Russian Easter at April 26 to 28. As May 1 and 2 are also holidays and the fourth is Sunday, the trade unions have decided to permit the workman to abstain from work for eight days. No public anti-religious demonstrations will be held this Easter by the young communists, who have resolved to confine their campaign to shows, lectures, clubs and theaters throughout the country for a fortnight, in an effort to keep the younger generation from the churches.

BULGAR KING FIRES SERVANTS Several Attendants Dismissed Because of Lack of Funds.

SOFIA, April 18.—King Boris of Bulgaria has been obliged to discontinue the services of several members of his household, including his old gardener, "because the

\$25,000 paid to him by the State does not cover the amount required for running the royal palace."

When the news was imparted to the old gardener he offered to cultivate the palace garden free of charge, provided the King gave him permission to sell a certain amount of flowers to the public. King Boris accepted the proposal and Bulgarians now have the privilege of decorating their houses

with royal blooms for a few coppers.

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**COMMISSION SPEEDS
WORK ON REPARATIONS**

Moves to Get Powers to Accept Formally the Plan of Experts.

By ARNO DOSCH FLEUROT.
Paris Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.
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PARIS, April 18.—The Reparation Commission has taken German assent to the experts' plan to mean complete acceptance. It also takes for granted that allied acceptances, already indicated, are final and is going ahead to put the plan into action.

Individually the members of the commission know that both French and German acceptances have strings attached, but they ignore them. The commission yesterday hastened to make these tentative acceptances definite. "Within the limits of its powers," it recommended the interested Governments to accept formally. It also asked the Germans to prepare drafts of laws creating the new gold bank of issue, setting up machinery for mortgaging railroads and industry to the reparations account, and naming German members of various boards and committees.

Thus by gathering speed over the smooth road ahead, the commission hopes to be able to get over the bad spots later on safely. Probable German Policy. Germany's careful use of the commission's own language, "basis of solution" is a warning that Germany is moving cautiously. She is expected to insist on complete economic evacuation of the Ruhr, restoration of authority to German officials everywhere, release of political prisoners in the occupied territory as soon as she hands over the mortgages and the gold bank opens under foreign control.

The old question of whether Germany is to be forced to make complete submission, as the French demand, is seen as a result of Premier Poincare's speech Tuesday. France is expected to demand fulfillment of everything in the plan before she gives up the Ruhr. It will take all of what may be called the Reparation Commission's enthusiasm for the plan to carry it over these difficulties.

When the negotiations are started Foreign Minister Stresemann may come to Paris to act for Germany. What he will have up his sleeve besides the obvious demands is not known here.

Interrelated Debts.
But Poincare's moves are partly foreseen. It is anticipated he will try to introduce the problem of interrelated debts. It is believed he will propose that the variable reparations, under the index of prosperity, in the experts' plan to be used to pay these debts.

He is expected to insist in advance on definition of what shall constitute Germany's "flagrant delinquency" and the nature of sanctions to be taken. In this he will run up against the British. But chiefly it is feared he will insist on Germany making every step in the experts' plan—giving up the Reparation Commission agents control of all Germany's vital interests—before he consents to give up exploitation of the Ruhr. The commission hopes to have the information asked from Germany within a week.

London Paper Wants France to Give Pledges.
By the Associated Press.

LONDON, April 18.—The New Statesman, which probably represents the nearest approach of any newspaper to being a Government organ, prints an article on the reports of the reparations experts in which it alludes to the favorable reception of the experts' report in Paris, Berlin, Brussels and London as evidence of a universal desire to reach a settlement of the reparations question.

The newspaper argues that what it terms the manifest failure of the Ruhr policy of Poincare has produced a wider effect on French public opinion than anyone dared hope, and that the Paris Government seems prepared to talk business on lines that 18 months ago would have been rejected with indignation.

It is further maintained that while 18 months ago it might have been worth while to Great Britain to make substantial concessions to France in order to get a prompt settlement of the questions at issue, there is now no need to pay any price.

"France," the paper declares, "is virtually insolvent and a prompt settlement for her is a matter of life and death."

British representatives hold all the trump.

The paper takes the view that no international loan will be possible unless France evacuates the Ruhr; and it maintains that the British Government must insist not merely on evacuation, but that France should give solid and unbreakable pledges never again to take measures calculated to destroy Germany's economic life without the full consent of France's allies.

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A timely purchase and sale of new Spring Suits in two and three button men's and young men's models. These are unusually good Suits made up of small lots of surplus stock from a very good maker. Loose English styles—well tailored—cassimeres, worsteds, chevrons—pencil stripes, overplaids, herringbones, mixtures—powder blues, dark blues, blacks, grays and browns.

Suits Purchased Friday and Saturday Will Be Ready Saturday Night

Topcoats, \$22.50 \$30 and \$35 Qualities Tweeds and fine wools in the new overplaid designs. Box coats and belted models.	Genuine Alpha Oxford White Shirts \$1.75 Three for \$5 These are \$2.50 values, genuine Alpha Oxfords in white. A highly mercerized cloth noted for its wearing qualities. In neckband and collar attached—full cut, full center pleat and pearl buttons. Sizes 14 to 17—White Oxfords are in greatest demand now at the beginning of the Spring and Summer season.	Gabardines, \$18 \$25 Values Tan Gabardines—all-around belt—inverted pleat back—silk lined.
Imported English Broadcloth Shirts, \$2.45 \$3.50 and \$4.00 Qualities Heavy-weight, two-by-one weave—neckband, collar-attached and collar-to-match styles—plain white—self-striped whites—tans and grays.	Silk Hosiery, 45c Seconds of 75c Quality Semi-fashioned—blacks and colors.	Neckwear, 65c \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Qualities Four-in-hands: foulards, reps, crepes, silk-and-wool, madras, in cut silks and flat-knitted ties. A good variety of patterns.
New Spring Hats, \$2.95 \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 Qualities Grays, tans, browns and mixtures—new Spring shapes—every Hat in the Subway included at this price.	Spring Caps, \$1.50 \$2.00 and \$2.50 Qualities New Spring colors—overplaid patterns—grays and tans.	Continuing Our Sale of Fine Shoes \$7, \$8 and \$9 Qualities \$4.95 The majority are Bostonians! High Shoes—Low Shoes—Blacks—Tans

No Mail Orders in the Subway

Boyd's
Boyd-Richardson
Olive and Sixth

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FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri and the West.

Handkerchiefs

Special at 50c

Women's new lace Handkerchiefs in newest styles; colored linen centers with dainty embroidered scalloped edges.

Main Floor

"Gimay" Perfumes

\$10 Value, Special at \$5.95

Elusive scents in carved crystal containers. Main Floor

Toilet Sets

\$15.00 Value, Special at \$10.25

Two-toned Sets; bonnet-shaped mirror, brush and comb.

Main Floor

Fiber Scarfs

\$2.95 Value for \$2.39

Just 500 Fiber Scarfs with fringed ends; plain colors, plaids and Roman stripes.

Main Floor

Women's Gloves

\$2.00 Value for \$1.39

Long silk Gloves, 14-button style, with double finger tips. White and colors.

Main Floor

A Saturday Selection That Will Greatly Please Those Wanting Attractive and

Very Smart Coats for Misses

—New Models for Street and Dress Wear



Unusual Value at... **\$25**

There is a diversity of approved styles in this group. The sports models are youthfully jaunty and in plain shades, plaids or stripes; the more dressy Coats are of twill and other fashionable fabrics and many new sleeve, collar and pocket arrangements are featured. All Coats are silk lined. Sizes 14 to 20.

Other Spring Coats, \$15 to \$225

Spring Dresses
Splendid Value at **\$15**

Street, sports and afternoon Dresses of broadcloth, tub silk, prints, figured and dotted crepe, de chine and other Spring weaves. Sizes 14 to 20.

Misses' Frocks
For Daytime and Evening
\$25 to \$195

Street, sports, afternoon, dinner and evening models that reveal the latest style notes for youthful figures, many new trimming effects. Sizes 14 to 20.

Fourth Floor

Girls' \$35 to \$49.75 Coats

—Dressy and Plain Tailored Styles

Special at... **\$24.75**

New flared and side-button models are especially prominent in this assortment of Kasha plaids, camel's hair, flamingo or Downywool—all full-length models and affording choice of many shades. All Coats silk lined. Sizes 10 to 16.

Other Coats in sizes 7 to 14 years are priced \$9.75 to \$19.75

Silk Dresses, \$9.75 to \$39.75

Charming for Easter would be these Frocks of crepe de chine, taffeta, pongee and printed silks; scores of styles and many girlish trimming effects. Sizes 6 to 16 years in the lot.

Fourth Floor



Saturday—An Important Sale of \$2.50 to \$7.50 Jewelry

1500 Practical and Novelty Pieces

Choice for... **\$2** Imported and Domestic Kinds

Popular pieces in Sterling silver, gold-filled and metal effects—ideal for Easter and confirmation gifts and all in newest and very artistic designs. The following are a few of the articles:

Head Necklaces	Mesh Bags	Compacts
Pearl Necklaces	Santors	Cuff Links
Earrings	Bracelets	Hair Ornaments
Vanity Cases	Bar Pins	Hat Ornaments
Belt Buckles	Brooches	Slipper Buckles

Come Early for Best Selection

Main Floor

An Exceptional Opportunity Continues With Our Sale of Easter Millinery

—Plain and Elaborate Shapes That Are Very Smart



\$7.50 to \$10 Values for... **\$5.55**

The very latest creations for women, misses and matrons are in this sale, including such very smart effects as: taffeta models with flowers or ribbon trimmings, dressy Hats of transparent braids, leg-horns combined with silk or crepe, sports Hats and various other fashionable modes.

Fourth Floor

A Special Pre-Easter Offering of Silk Underwear

\$3.50 to \$4.50 Values

\$2.95



In this unusual group are princess slips of tub silk in light and dark colors; envelope chemises and step-in chemises of radium and crepe de chine; also step-in drawers and bloomers of crepe de chine and radium silk.

Third Floor

\$6 Surety-Six \$6

SHOES FOR YOUNG WOMEN

The Utmost in Value at \$6 a Pair

This is our own brand of footwear and very splendid will you find it. Good materials, smart styling and careful workmanship will be found in every pair of "Surety-Six" Shoes and we suggest that you supply your Easter needs from the assortment.



Four Popular Spring Styles

"Creole" Sandal, No. 4082
—with side buckle and cut-out effects; shown in various combinations.

The "Gotham," No. 3038
—is a one-strap of patent and black suede or brown nubuck with Russia calf.

The "Loretta," No. 2004
—in strapped style; of satin, velvet, patent, gunmetal or nubuck.

The "Marion," No. 4068
—a four-strap of patent or black kid; with Cuban, covered heels.

Second Floor

A Pre-Easter "Special" for Women "Surety" Silk Hose

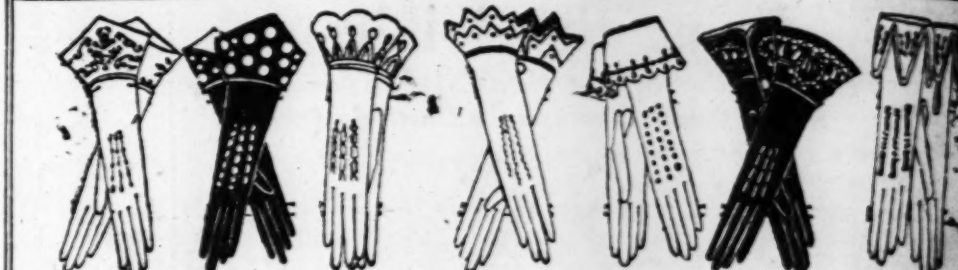
\$2.25 Value, Saturday... **\$1.69**

Full-fashioned, pure thread silk Hose—our own make and very excellent; with lisle garter tops and soles and shown in black, white and the most popular Spring colors. A splendid group from which to anticipate needs. All sizes.

\$8 French Silk Hose

—with dainty Paris clocks and fashioned of sheer silk from top to toe; in black, white, atmosphere and nude shades. All sizes. Special at... **\$5.95**

Main Floor



Women Will Appreciate Choosing From Our Showing of Novelty Cuff Easter Gloves

—Latest French Styles—Priced at

\$2.50 \$3.50 \$4.50

Very remarkable is our showing of handsome Novelty Gloves, including the renowned "Chateau" creations. Some styles combine kid and suede and there are applied, perforated, beaded, embroidered and silk turn-back cuffs. All new shades are shown as well as the very smart black-and-white effects.

Main Floor

Very Remarkable Is This Saturday Offering of Handsome Sample Easter Blouses

\$13.50 to \$25 Values—Special at

\$10.75

There are 300 of these charming Overblouses, the illustration showing but two of the smart styles. Some are fashioned of heavy quality crepe de chine, others of novelty silk weaves. Models with long and short sleeves, all displaying the newest collar lines.

In white, gray, tan, blue and new blue flowered patterns which are very popular. All sizes in group, but not every size in each style.

Fourth Floor



Wide Assortments Are Offered Saturday in Easter Candies

—Candies and Novelties to Please the Children

Wholesome, delicious sweets of all kinds in an unusually large variety including novelties for kiddies, the daintiest bonbons, chocolates, as well as many other luscious confections. These few groups will give a mere hint of the many.

Milk Chocolate Nuts & Fruits in Cream

Regularly 60c a Lb.—Special, 2-Lb. Box, 75c, or Lb. ... **39c**

Delicious Chocolates with centers of pineapple, cherry, raisin, filberts, almond, Brazil, in cream and covered with rich milk chocolate. This Saturday "Special" is such a favorite that many will take advantage of it.



Filled Baskets, 25c to 55c

Baskets of different sizes, filled to the brim with delights for youngsters—chocolate rabbits and eggs of chocolate cream, chocolate marshmallow and decorated kinds.

Offered \$1

Square paper or round tin Nest Boxes filled with chocolate rabbits, hard candy rabbits, decorated eggs and other too-tempting Easter candies.

Marshmallow Hen Eggs, dozen... 15c
Chocolate Marshmallow Eggs, dozen... 15c
Kiddie Pail Nests... 25c

Assorted Filled Straws
60c Value, Special, Lb. ... **39c**

Hard Candy Straws in a large assortment of flavors and different centers. A delicious confection.

Chocolates

Priced, Pound... **\$1**

Our own Far Excellent Chocolates and Bonbons. Delicious and pleasing to young and old. "None better at any price."



Chocolate Bunnies

Chocolate Fruit Eggs... 5c to 15c
Chocolate Rabbits... 10c to 15c
Decorated Eggs... 5c to 25c



Grated Eggs

One Dozen... **50c**

Chocolate marshmallow Eggs made in our own Candy Shop, wrapped in foil and packed in regulation egg crates of cardboard.

6 Eggs in Crate, 30c

Caramel Package

60c Value, Lb., Special... **42c**

Wyandotte Caramels and White and Butter Caramels. Splendidly flavored and delicious.

Easter "Special"

2-Lb. Box... **\$1.44**

Milk Chocolates

Priced, Pound... **80c**

An assortment of milk chocolates that is especially popular. Made in our own shop. Candy Shop—Main Floor

Save Saturday on This Group Women's Silk Hosiery

Irregulars of \$1.50 to \$1.95 Grades... **\$1**

Full-fashioned thread silk Hosiery, fine tops and reinforced feet. Medium weights, in black, white and colors.

Tots' Socks

1/2 length; of mercerized cotton with fancy colored turn-over cuffs. Irregulars of 50c to 60c grades... **35c**

Women's Silk and Hosiery, in black, white and colors. \$1.50 to \$1.95 grades for...

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Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

Women's Purses
\$2.50 to \$3.50
Values...
\$1.59
Of leather in various styles, with mirror and coin purse. Black, brown, tan and gray.
Basement

Women's Gloves
\$2.00 Value
for...
\$1.39
Long silk gloves, 16-button style, with double finger tips. White and colors.
Basement

Fiber Scarfs
\$2.05 Value
for...
\$2.39
Just 500 Fiber Scarfs with fringed ends, plain colors, plaids and Roman stripes.
Main Floor

Easter Offerings in the Basement Economy Store



Men and Young Men Should Avail Themselves of This Group of Two-Trouser Easter Suits

Exceptional Value at... **\$21.75**

Suits with extra trousers, of cheviot, cassimere, worsted and flannel, in the wanted single and double breasted and conservative styles. Choice of a wide variety of patterns, including stripes, checks, plaids and fancy weaves. The extra trousers mean extra wear. Sizes 34 to 46 stout.

Men's Two-Trouser Suits
Of cheviot, cassimere and worsted materials. In good styles and colors of brown, gray, blue and black. Sizes 34 years to 48 stout.
\$17.85

Men's and Young Men's Suits
Neat Suits in the season's best colors. In a wide variety of patterns, colors and wanted styles. Sizes 34 to 46 stout. Priced...
\$23.85



Make Selections From These Three Groups of Boys' Easter Suits

With Extra Knickers, Priced
\$7.75 \$9.85 \$10.95

Sports and pleated model Suits of cheviot and cassimere in splendid patterns and colors. Coats have all-around belt, are lined as are also the knickers. Outfit the boy for Easter from these groups. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

Boys' Hats and Caps
Boys' Easter Hats and Caps in various styles and colors. Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2. Priced...
98c to \$1.95

Boys' Wash Suits
In midday, Balkan and button-on style, well made and neatly trimmed. Sizes 2 to 8. Offered...
\$1.39



Women's and Misses' Easter Attire

—Latest Spring Styles, Fashioned of Wanted Fabrics, in Approved Colors

Spring Coats
Unusual Value
\$19.50

These newest styled Spring Coats are of excellent Poirer twill in navy, black, tan and gray. Linings are of crepe, neat braid trimmings and stitchings add to their attractiveness and there are all sizes from 16 to 44.



New Dresses
Splendid Value
\$15.00

Fashioned of printed crepes, printed and beaded Georgettes, lace, satin Cantons, Canton crepes in desirable patterns, gay colors, pastel shades and black and white. Darker colors predominate.



Spring Suits
Exceptional at
\$24.50

Tailored of serviceable Poirer twill and tricotine in the latest models—36-inch coats. Linings are crepe in black, gray and tan. All sizes from 14 to 44.



Saturday, a Specially-Priced Group of Girls' Easter Coats

Offered at... **\$7.50** Sizes 3 to 14

Saturday will be the last shopping day before Easter and mothers and daughters will find this group very helpful and interesting. Coats of polar in wrappy effects, side-tie and swager models. In plain, striped and plaid patterns. Sizes 3 to 14.

Girls' New Spring Dresses
Dresses of splendid quality Canton, in white, gay and pastel colors. Some are ruffled and lace trimmed. Sizes 7 to 14. Offered Saturday at...
\$12.50

Make Selections Saturday From This Lot of New Easter Millinery

\$5 Value, for... **\$3.95**

Women and misses who have yet to secure their Easter Millinery should surely choose from this group. There is a wide variety of styles and colors. Hats of good quality crepe and straw combinations, trimmed with flowers, ribbons and ornaments.



Save Saturday on This Group of Women's Silk Hose

Irregulars of \$1.50 to \$1.95
Grades...
\$1.15

Full-fashioned thread silk hose with double heel tops and reinforced feet. Medium or chignon weights, in black, white and colors.

Women's Hose
Silk and silk-mixed hose, in black, white and colors. Seconds of 80 to 100 grades for...
58c



Saturday Bakery Specials

Our Bakery has prepared some very excellent specials for Easter Sunday meals. Choose from the following:
60c Chocolate... 50c
Lemon Cakes... 25c
60c Pecan Loaf... 40c
Cakes, for... 50c

Also many other offerings for the Easter Season.

Saturday, Splendid Selection for Easter in Children's Hats



Priced at... **\$1.95**

Hundreds of Hats for girls of 2 to 14. Well made of silk and straw combinations in various Spring shades and shapes. A group from which many will want to choose. The variety is so broad that selection will be a pleasure.



A Special Selling of Women's Crepe de Chine Gowns

Extra Value at... **\$2.95**

A specially purchased group of crepe de chine nightgowns in the rainbow tints. With Calais and English as well as silk Chantilly laces and pretty shirring and hemstitching. All sizes.

Infants' Headwear
Of organdie, lawn, crepe de chine and Swiss in many styles and colors...
95c to \$1.95

Envelope Chemises
Of crepe de chine and radius silk in several good shades and styles. Sizes 28 to 46. \$2.50 and \$2.95 values...
\$1.79

As a Result of a Special Purchase—These Silk Blouses for Easter

Offered at... **\$2.95**

Blouses of crepe de chine, marigold, crepe knit, Roshanara and knitted fabric in plain colors and printed styles. Various trimmings, with collar of self material or semi-soft fabric.

Princess Slips
Of plain and striped satin in white, flesh and rainbow tints. Sizes 36 to 46. Special...
\$1.69

Easter Sweaters
Of woolen, mohair and worsted yarns in many color combinations. \$2.00 and \$2.50 values...
\$3.95



Fancy Striped Corsetalls

\$2.00 Value, Saturday... **\$1.44**

Pink, fancy striped Corsetalls, boned front and back and with elastic insert. Long line. With two pairs of attached supporters. All sizes.

English Broadcloth Shirts

\$2.39 Value, Special... **\$1.73**

Mac's English Broadcloth Shirts in rockband and collar-attached styles. In plain white, tan, blue and gray. Cut full and roomy in size. 14 to 17.



Saturday, an Opportunity to Save on Women's Easter Shoes

Exceptional Value at

\$3.95

Men's Shoes
Oxfords of black and tan calf and kid, also patent with creased vamp. Sizes 4 to 11. Seconds of \$1 to \$2.95 grades...
\$2.95

Boys' and Girls' Shoes
Boys' mahogany calf Oxfords, also misses' and children's patent and white straps, and cut-out sandals. \$2.95 values...
\$2.95

Radiex Records

Priced, Each 35c, 3 for \$1

- 1206 'Mindin' My Business—Fox Trot
- 1207 'My Sweetie's Sweeter Than That—Fox Trot
- 1304 'A Smile Will Go a Long, Long Way'
- 1304 'Monna Vanna'
- 2137 'Dream Daddy—Vocal'
- 2137 'Cover Me With the Sunshine of Virginia'

Also Many Other Selections.

Wells Shop—Basement

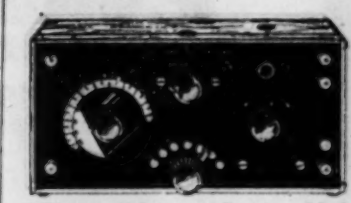
Chocolate Peanuts

Jumbo Peanuts, roasted and covered with sweet chocolate. Regularly 80c lb. 35c Saturday, per pound...
35c

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

For Lovers of Radio—These 1-Tube Radio Sets



Complete at **\$23.50**

The well-known Crosley Model V Set consists of one standard radiotron tube, one "A" battery, one "B" battery, one pair Potter headphones and complete aerial materials. Set is all ready to set up and use.

Grebe Sets, Special Saturday at 1/2 List Price

Motorists—Select From These A. T. C. Cord Tires

Desirable sizes are offered special Saturday at these extreme savings:

30x3 1/2	\$10.95
32x3 1/2	\$12.45
34x4	\$15.00
32x4	\$17.20
33x4	\$17.50
34x4	\$17.85
32x4 1/2	\$22.70
33x4 1/2	\$23.28
34x4 1/2	\$23.84
35x4 1/2	\$24.62
35x5	\$25.50
35x5	\$29.70



Surety Auto Oil

Special, 5 Gallons, **\$2.75**

Motorists know the excellent quality of this splendid Oil and will recognize this as an unusual opportunity. In medium grade.

Schrader Tire Gauge, special... 50c

Straw Seat Pads, 60c value... 49c

Gargyle Mobiloids, any grade, 5 gal. \$4.25

Specials for Golfers

Here you will find complete assortments of high-grade supplies of all kinds. Featured Saturday are:

- \$5 to \$8.50 Model Driver or Branded... \$2.95
- \$5 to \$4.50 Model Iron Clubs... \$2.45
- Repaired Silver Ring Golf Balls, dozen... \$5.50
- Clincher Cross Imported Golf Balls, doz... \$4.95



Fishing Tackle & Supplies

Complete assortments are here, and the values are unusual:
\$15 South Bend Reels... \$8.50
\$4.55 Sampson Reels... \$3.95
\$2 Pennell Reels... \$1.25
\$3.25 Regal Reels... \$2.50
Wilder Big Reels... 35c
55c Minnows... 85c

55c Shim Jim Bait... 25c
Superior Trout Flies... 50c
\$10.50 Fly Rods... \$8.00
\$1.50 Steel Rods... \$1.25
\$2.50 Steel Rods... \$1.75
Sampson Silk Casting Line 550 Sixth Floor

Here You Can Advantageously Select Easter Flowers

—Just the Kinds Most Wanted



For the Easter decorations you will find excellent selection in our Floral Shop. A few of the many splendid offerings are mentioned below.

Boston Ferns

These attractive Boston Ferns are in neat and desirable baskets, complete, and very specially priced at... **\$3.95**

Blooming Plants

A large selection of other Blooming Plants including hyacinths, tulips, hydrangeas and blooming roses, buds, \$1.45 to \$4.95

Lily Plants

Easter Lily Plants with from three to five blooms, fresh from the greenhouse, special, per plant... **45c**

Cut Flowers

A box of one dozen assorted Flowers and one bunch of butterfly sweet peas, special at... **\$2.50**
All Plants Fresh From the Greenhouse, Decorated and Delivered for Easter

Saturday—A Special Offering of California Hedge

25 Plants... **68c**

Hardy, field-grown California Privet Hedge, free from insects, and well branched. 13 to 18 inches high, with strong roots.

California Hedge, 34 to 36 inches high... **10 for 50c**

Other Trees and Shrubbery at

Our Entire Stock of Fruit Trees...
Our Entire Stock Field-Grown Rosebushes...
Entire Stock Field-Grown Climbing Roses...
Our Entire Stock of Shrubbery...
Our Entire Stock Bulbs, good assortment.

50c Lb. Grass Seed—Special

Kentucky Bluegrass Seed, fresh stock and best quality. An opportunity to seed your lawn advantageously. No mail or phone orders... **2 Pounds 75c**

Basement Gallery



Time counts when
you need a
Physic

**PLUTO
WATER**

America's Physic

The Fine Qualities

"SALADA"

GREEN TEA

cannot be adequately described but
they can be appreciated in the teacup.

The POST-DISPATCH is the only St. Louis evening
newspaper giving Associated Press news service.

"BUSINESS SYSTEM" MUST END STOCK SALE

"Blue Sky" Commissioner Issues
Order to St. Louis Concern
After Complaints.

By the Jefferson City Correspond-
ent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 18.—The system employed by the Usa Business System, Inc., 544-03 Bond Building, St. Louis, in selling its stock, is not approved by the "blue sky" division of the State Finance Department, which today issued an order directing the concern to desist from sales of its stock on the ground it was violating the "blue sky" laws of Missouri.

No permit has been obtained by the "system" for sale in Missouri of its stock and sales already made render the concern subject to prosecution under the "blue sky" laws, said B. T. Hurwitz, Deputy Finance Commissioner.

Purposes of "System."—Purposes of the Usa Business System, it was stated, aside from marketing its stock, are to sell an accounting system invented by Fred Geitz Jr., president, and sell an accounting service to small merchants. The order was issued after affidavits obtained by the Better Business Bureau of St. Louis were filed with the Finance Department, alleging misrepresentations were made in the sale of the stock.

S. G. Ballard, 1160 North Kings-highway, filed an affidavit that Geitz had sold him 20 shares of stock for \$2000, on representation that the company already had \$47,000 in orders. Ballard stated that on the basis of the stock purchase he was employed as bookkeeper for the company. He alleged the company had no orders, and asserted he was not paid his salary as bookkeeper.

Geitz made the stock sale to Ballard, the latter stated, after Ballard had advertised in St. Louis newspapers for a business opportunity in which he could make an investment.

Threatened to Sue.—Ballard alleged that when he threatened to bring suit for his salary, Geitz offered him \$500 if he would wait 15 days for the money to be raised, but later told him to bring the suit, if he wanted to collect.

The "system" was represented as being incorporated for \$100,000, but the charter had not been received. Ballard stated in his affidavit, Ballard asserted circumscribing stock of the "system" for sale had been sent to many persons in Illinois and Indiana.

The stock certificate issued to Ballard lists Geitz as president of the concern and A. W. Niebling as secretary.

MEXICAN FEDERAL REFUGEES LANDED IN U. S. WEEK AGO

Arrival of Party of 18 Kept Secret
to Prevent Interference by
Rebel Agents.

NORFOLK, Va., April 17.—After customs authorities had kept it a secret for nearly a week, it was learned today that 18 wealthy refugees from the Peninsula of Yucatan, now in the hands of Mexican revolutionists, were landed here last Saturday by the British steamship Munero. The destination of the Mexicans is northern Mexico, where they will be under the protection of the Federal Government, and it was explained their arrival here was kept secret by the port authorities in order to prevent interference with their movements into Mexico by revolutionist sympathizers.

Several women and children were included in the party, all of whom, customs officials said, were well supplied with money. Being forced to leave in haste, however, they carried only such belongings as they could pack into hand bags and suit cases.

Ramon L. Gracia, wealthy banker of Progreso, who, with his wife and four children, remained on board the Munero to sail for France, where they will make their home until the revolutionary disturbance is over, was said to have been forced to pay revolutionary leaders \$25,000 for the privilege of taking passage on the ship. All of his other property also was said to have been left in their hands.

One of the party who came on the ship, Leland E. Barreille of Munero, was loaded with steel for Dunkirk.

PAINTER INJURED IN FALL

Fred Ehrhardt, 29, Hurt When
Scaffold Breaks.
Fred Ehrhardt, 29 years old, of 2726 Allen avenue suffered a fractured skull and foot last evening in a fall from a scaffold when a rope broke while he was painting at 1514 North Sixteenth street. He was taken to City Hospital.

George F. Forbes, another painter, who was on the other end of the scaffold, seized a rope and saved himself from falling.

Dr. Patrick Quits Near East
School.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, April 18.—The resignation of Dr. Mary Mills Patrick, founder of Constantinople Woman's College and for 24 years its president, is announced by the Executive Committee of the Near East College. She will be succeeded by Miss Kathryn Newell Adams, a member of the faculty. Dr. Patrick will return to the United States at the close of the present college year. She has devoted 53 years to American educational work in the Near East.

MAVRAKOS Candies for EASTER

Surprise Milk Chocolate Eggs filled with nut and fruit
chocolates and cream filled. 75c to \$3.00

Assortment of beautiful Salt Eggs and Hand-painted Easter
Boxes filled with an assortment of delicious chocolates, French
Bonbons and other dainties. An \$1 to \$10 Each

Special Nest Boxes for the Kiddies packed with Milk Chocolate
Rabbits, chocolate eggs and other Easter goodies—
—in 3 sizes. 75c, \$1, \$1.50 Each

Beautifully Decorated Easter Baskets in a Large Variety.

4949 Delmar—2 STORES—217 N. 7th St.

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Pennsylvania, Miller, Firestone, Goodrich,
Oldfield, Ajax, Kelly and 30 other high-
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30x3 1/2 \$7.25

32x3 1/2 \$ 9.75

34x4 \$10.75

36x4 \$11.25

38x4 \$11.25

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32x4 \$10.95

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In a recent emery friction test, a piece of ordinary woolen lasted fifteen minutes; a
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These cleverly styled Penrod models appeal to
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They are well made of all-wool fabrics in sprightly
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Boys' Spring Topcoats, \$10

Boys' Tom Sawyer Powder Blue Blouses



\$1.²⁵

Among the most popular
fancies for Spring have
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that are very effective. Tail-
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with collars attached. Sizes
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Tom Sawyer powder blue
Shirts, \$1.50

Boys' Skolny 2-Trouser Suits, \$25

The Skolny label in boys' clothing has become a
mark of fine quality to the majority of mothers—
and when you see the new Spring shipment you will
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Boys' Spring Caps Very Special at

\$1.⁰⁰

Grays, tans, olives,
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of tweeds, homespun and
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Made in suitable shapes for
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Boys' White Tennis Sweaters, \$3.98

A comfortable Sweater is an especially desirable asset to every boy's wardrobe at
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**"DRESS UP"
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Don't worry about the Down Payments—get your outfit and pay
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This splendid group, which in style value and price chal-
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This special value group, Saturday only. **\$9.⁹⁸ Up**

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An Unusual Offering in

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**EASTER
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Spring and Summer wear.
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Easter Apparel Suggestions for Men

Kuppenheimer Good Clothes

\$45 \$50 \$55 \$60

Today's loose-fitting vogue is a fine, comfortable custom which has been accepted by the smartest dressers in the country. And men who want an accurate portrayal of the style choose Kuppenheimer Suits as arbiters of the mode. See our new Spring models. They're flawless gems of fine tailoring.

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Attractively Priced
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Unusually attractive values recommend these Suits as well as their smart styling and excellent quality. Included are loosely draped and semi-form-fitted Suits in tans, blues, grays and mixtures. Many distinctive and smart patterns.

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Smart New Styles
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Men's Smart Easter Hats, \$4.00

YOU will find a particularly complete and attractive selection of the new Hats in this group which offers very attractive values. Included are the popular snap brims, soft rolls and conservative styles in a variety of Spring shadings. Very good quality.

An Extensive Selection
\$6 to \$10

In this offering are Hats of the better sort to suit the most exacting tastes. The most correct and popular models from Trimble, Stetson, Berg and Borsalino.

New Spring Caps
\$1.95

These are all fine hand-tailored Caps, beautifully lined with satin or silk serge. The very smartest Spring patterns in one-piece or eight-quarter models. (Main Floor.)

Fine Silk Shirts, \$7.95

THE richness and luster of fine Silk Shirts appeal to many of the best-dressed men. These Shirts are in blue, tan, gray with satin stripes of contrasting colors. The material is durable King cloth—neckband style with soft collar to match.

Shantung Silk Shirts, \$3.95

Shantung Silk Shirts are very popular for Spring and Summer wear. These are fashioned in collar-attached or to-match style and are of very good quality. Sizes 14 to 17.

"Paris Vogue" Neckwear, \$1.50

Of rich silks in neat all-over figured effects. Sprightly Spring colorings lend added attraction. All are lined with bright satin, making a substantial Tie that ties particularly well.

Men's Kayser Silk Gloves, \$1.50

(Main Floor.)



Men's Footwear for Easter

WE are prepared to take care of your Easter footwear wants in a most satisfactory manner. Our stocks are very complete, from novelty sports Shoes to finely fashioned Oxfords for all occasions.



The Creole, \$10
 An unusually smart dress pattern with side going in patent colt. Light welt sole.

The Bounds, \$10
 Tan or black calfskin. Made with plain toe and 3-eyelet tie. Very smart for young men.

The Belmont, \$5.85
 Combination tan and brown calfskin. In either soft or box toe style.

The Dolby
 These are in tan or black calf or black patent leather. Semi-round toe with stitched tip. (Main Floor.)



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At Attractive Prices

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30x3 1/2	\$10.00	34x4 1/2	\$23.00
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 PURE gum gray Tubes, extra heavy. Made by a well-known tire manufacturer. Each Tube is backed by our guarantee against defects in workmanship or material.

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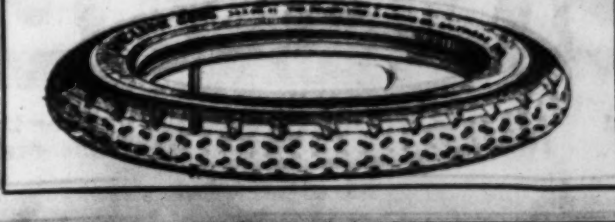
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 For open or closed cars, easily put on and taken off. Come in glove fastener type in four patterns.

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CALCIUM FLICKERED OUT ON EMBRYO STARS

Three Youths Aspiring for Stage Career Find Instructor Plays Short Stand.

To many youths the glimmer of the footlights and the roar of the applauding multitude are appealing. To some they are irresistible. And to Peter Kenly, Thomas McNearney and Eugene Payt, who room at 3259 South Seventh street, it was opportunity when a blind ad appeared in the morning paper—"Partners wanted, theatrical venture."

They answered it and were invited to a house in the 3500 block on Washington boulevard. A genial gentleman explained. He was training young men of promise for the stage. To available men he guaranteed a great career with names emblazoned in electric lights. His three visitors were exceptionally promising, he said.

Four weeks of intensive drilling followed—almost every evening—and McNearney, who showed most promise, was "graduated" last week.

"You go to Crystal City and report to the manager of the Colonial Theater," he was told. "He will put you on Tuesday night. I'll ship the scenery and trunks and all the props you need. Don't worry about them."

McNearney went to Crystal City and found the Colonial Theater. But nobody had heard about him, so he hurried back to St. Louis. The instructor had moved suddenly, so he and his friends told it to Detective Harry Doherty at headquarters.

The expenses of their education, they said, were: McNearney, \$125; Kenly, \$150, and Payt, \$250.

PUT OFF CAR FOR TALKING TO SELF; FAILS TO GET DAMAGES

Patent Medicine Dealer Loses Suit Against the U. R. for \$500 Damages.

Fred M. Tomlinson, 68 years old, 2626 Potomac street, a patent medicine dealer, who alleged that he was wrongfully ejected from a Market street car by the conductor one night in February, 1933, lost his suit for \$500 damages against the United Railways yesterday.

The case was tried before a jury in Circuit Judge Landwehr's court. Tomlinson testified the ejection occurred at Twenty-first street. As he did not have any more cash he was forced to walk to the station to his destination at 3100 Market. He said his behavior was good, but he supposed that the conductor put him off because he was talking to himself.

Counsel for United Railways asserted the company had no report or record of the alleged occurrence and denied liability. The case originally was tried before a Justice of the Peace, who awarded a judgment of \$100 in favor of Tomlinson. It was shown by the defense yesterday that at the trial in the Justice court the plaintiff claimed that after being put off the car he walked to the Terminal Hotel in Union Station and borrowed a fare from a clerk, after which he boarded another street car and rode to his destination.

MAN EXPECTED TO CONFESS TO SAVE CONDEMNED 'PALS'

Six Implicated in Murder, Refusing to Talk, Are All Sentenced to Be Hanged in Paris.

By the Associated Press. NEW ORLEANS, April 18.—To save the lives of his five companions, one of the six men sentenced to be hanged at Guille, May 1, for the murder of Dallas Calmes, at Independence, La., three years ago, is expected momentarily to confess. All other efforts to avert execution have been exhausted and the prisoners have been informed they will be hanged in pairs, they to decide the order in which they shall die.

Calmes, a restaurant operator, found six men robbing a bank and was shot and killed by the bullet fired from the group. The man who killed Calmes would not confess, none of his companions would name him and all were sentenced to death.

All six are natives of Italy or of Italo-American parentage, and thousands of their fellow-countrymen and numerous organizations have supplied funds for their defense.

Gregorio Leona, who came from Italy recently to visit his brother, whom he had not seen in 12 years, found Roy, one of the condemned men, last night in a death cell in the Orleans Parish Prison here.

PASTOR'S APPOINTMENT AS DRY DEPUTY STIRS VILLAGE

By the Associated Press. LEBLIE, Mich., April 18.—This village is split into factions because of developments in connection with the recent appointment of Rev. Lloyd Mead as Deputy Sheriff and his charges that local officers had not enforced the prohibition laws.

Three petitions are in circulation, one of them demanding the pastor's removal as Deputy Sheriff and the other two insinuating that he be retained. Wednesday night a flaming circle was burned in the yard of Rev. Mr. Mead's home. The fire department extinguished the circle. It is claimed by Rev. Mr. Mead's friends that the symbol was placed in his yard by the Knights of the Flaming Circle, an organization said to have been formed in connection to the Ku Klux Klan.

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Stop the children's coughs at once!

DON'T let them run on until dangerous complications set in. Nothing so quickly stops coughing as Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It combines just the medicines your doctor prescribes with the old-time remedy, pine-tar honey. Hard packed phlegm loosens and clears away—the inflammation is reduced—normal breathing is restored. Excellent for young and old alike. It tastes good, too. Keep Dr. Bell's on hand for all the family.

All druggists. Be sure to get the genuine.

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In just about two jiffies—a tasty, flavory meal to satisfy the hungriest man.

Crispy, crunchy corn flakes, as nourishing as they are good.

Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

Inner-sealed quart wrapper—exclusive Kellogg feature.

INSURANCE COLLECTOR MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT

Four Persons Arrested After George Costello Is Wounded at 1439 North 22nd.

When George Costello, 49 years old, an insurance collector of 1439 North Twenty-second street, called at the home of George Woods Sr., at 1439 North Twenty-second street, to make a collection, last evening, he knocked on the door and was admitted. Just then a shot was fired and Costello fell to floor with a pistol wound in the left shoulder.

The insurance collector was taken to the City Hospital, where he was unable to explain how he became the target of the bullet.

Neither could Woods nor his son, Starless, 22, who were in the room at the time, but the wife of his son George Jr., offered the explanation that the pistol her husband was cleaning was accidentally discharged just as the door was opened.

An hour later George Jr. put in appearance and was arrested. He had no collection of insurance, a pistol, and denied he had been in the house. All the family were held for investigation.

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Special Sale for Easter Week! Best Values at Lowest Prices at Our New and Up-to-Date Store

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32x4	\$11.75	Luggage Carters	\$1.25
32x4	\$12.45	Beautiful colors and designs, up to \$25.00 value.	
32x4	\$12.45	Ford Touring, Chevrolet Touring	\$5.50
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32x4	\$12.45	Ford Top, Chevrolet Top	\$5.50
32x4	\$12.45	Ford Complete with Rear Curtilage	\$3.95
32x4	\$12.45	Touring complete with Rear Curtilage	\$4.95
32x4	\$12.45	High grade spring steel, highly nickelized, Ford front or rear	\$13.50
32x4	\$12.45	Other Cars, \$16.50 list	\$9.50
32x4	\$12.45	Stewart Speedometers	\$10.50
32x4	\$12.45	Sun Visors, green Pyralis, up to \$12.00 value	\$4.50
32x4	\$12.45	Spot Lights	\$1.95
32x4	\$12.45	Dash Lights	.95c
32x4	\$12.45	Grease and Oil Guns	.35c
32x4	\$12.45	Schradner Air Guns	.95c
32x4	\$12.45	Battery Hydrometers	.35c
32x4	\$12.45	Combination Ford Wrenches	1.10c
32x4	\$12.45	Aluminum Snap Plates	.40c
32x4	\$12.45	Ask Receivers and Match Box Holders	.35c
32x4	\$12.45	Ford Rear Curtilage Set	.75c
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32x4	\$12.45	And hundreds of other items, all at equally low prices.	

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Women's and Misses' Suits

Smartly tailored new fashions, boyishly styled, featuring all the new season's styles.

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Good-looking and good-wearing styles, including extra sizes. An assortment that would do justice to a high-class specialty shop.

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Never before have we offered such values. Newest models in all the Spring fabrics and colors.

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A truly wonderful assortment that would do justice to the highest class men's shop; Spring's newest color effects; real thrift prices.

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All-wool materials. Blue and brown pencil stripes. Easter special, \$14.75

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REVIEW OF BANKRUPTCY ORDER IN ESTATE ASKED

Mrs. Winifred T. Tate Says Her Interest in Grandfather's Property Is Not Assailable

Mrs. Winifred T. Tate, 4515 Pershing avenue, yesterday asked the Federal Court to review the order of Referee Coles for the sale of her interest in the estate of her grandfather, J. P. Downing, Erie, Pa., to satisfy creditors' claims for \$15,000.

Mrs. Tate, now the wife of Frank R. Tate, president of the Tate Motor Car Co., formerly the wife of Lucian Duthiel Cabanne, asserts that under the Pennsylvania laws her interest in the estate is not assailable.

In October, 1921, Mrs. Tate filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. Clifford B. Allen was appointed trustee. Claims allowed were \$7157.04 on a judgment in favor of Mary R. Gordon, Martha A. Gordon, Cary, Randolph, Archibald and D. Mitchell Hutchinson, \$7500 to H. S. Priest for legal services, and \$440 to John P. Cabanne, balance on a loan.

The Mary Gordon group asked that the property, from which Mrs. Tate was alleged to receive \$5000 a year, under her grandfather's will, be turned over to the trustee to satisfy the claims. After a hearing Allen was directed, Feb. 25, to sell her interest in the estate.

Mrs. Tate asked that the referee's order be referred to the court for opinion and this was done. The opinion has not been given. She now asks the Court to review the referee's order.

A copy of the Downing will, made in 1913 and amended in 1917, shows that Mrs. Tate, under a trust to continue 21 years after his death, was to receive three-eighths of whatever surplus remained after payment of specified yearly allowances. The contention in the application for review is that a trust estate cannot be seized.

U. S. SCHOOLS DRAWING RARE BOOKS AWAY FROM BRITAIN

American Collector Declares, Though, That High-Priced Volumes Will Be Cheap in 10 Years.

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LONDON, April 16.—Dr. A. E. W. Rosenbach, the American book dealer, declared today that the books for which he has been paying unusually high prices at sales here will be "considered cheap in 10 years."

"With the spread of universities and higher schools in the United States it is necessary to have material for study. England being the greatest book-seller in the world, it is natural that I look to this country for a source of supply. It is curious that from the sixteenth to the nineteenth century English collectors were doing exactly the same thing that I am doing today."

"Thousands of valuable volumes are hidden away in English country homes—almost unknown to their owners. A 'find' made the other day is a good example of this. Among the collection of tracts in a small English library a pamphlet was found entitled 'New England's Trial,' by Capt. John Smith, dated 1620. I bought it for \$2400. Only two other copies are known to exist. It had lain concealed in that library three centuries."

"It is much better, in my opinion, that these volumes be in America, accessible to students and scholars, than hidden away in private libraries, exposed to destruction by fire or carelessness."

Three East St. Louis Saloons Raided.

Federal prohibition agents raided three East St. Louis saloons yesterday and seized a quantity of whiskey and beer. At the bar of Francis X. Ziegelmeyer, 100 South Fourth street, they found 150 gallons of home-brew at the bar of George Helten, 725 Tremblay avenue, one gallon of whiskey, and at the bar of

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Ladies' pure silk Chiffon Hose in black and new shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Special. **69c**

\$1.25 SILK AND FIBER HOSE

Ladies' silk and fiber hose, in black and new shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Special. **69c**

50c Boys' Unions

Boys' fine silk knit Union Suits, with short sleeves or without, knee length; sizes 8 to 16. Special. **39c**

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Fine knitted Union Suits in black, blue, tan, and white; regular and extra sizes. Special. **39c**

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Women's Easter Shoes. Choice of satin, patent, suede, kid, etc. in Oxfords, straps and the new cut-out styles. \$5.00 value. Specially priced for Saturday at... **\$1.98**

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Special sale of children's shoes. Choice of high or low; plain color and combinations. Values up to \$3. Special for Saturday at... **98c**

50c BABY SHOES... **19c**

UP TO \$6 NEW TRIMMED HATS

Stunning new Spring Hats in up-to-the-minute styles suitable for every occasion—sport, street or evening wear. Hats for miss or matron, made of hairbrad, strawbrad, also crepe and braids; combinations trimmed with flowers, catfish, ribbons, ornaments and fancy pins. Fakes, close-fitting hats for bobbed hair, soft rolls and larger hats with big bows. Sizes in all the season's newest colors and black. The same as shown in other stores at \$5.00 and \$6.00.

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Men's imported Pouter Broadcloth Shirts in white and tan, washed style; also English, towel, button-down collar, striped in tan and gray, sizes 14 to 17. Special. **\$1.98**

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Men's silk striped woven Madras Shirts, in latest patterns, sizes 14 to 17. Special. **\$1.49**

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Men's pin check athletic Union Suits, sizes 34 to 44. 39c

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Dot voile lace trim around neck and sleeves, shirred hip and tie, sides. All colors. 4 to 12 sizes. **\$1.49**

BONNETS

Dot voile lace trim, elastic back. All the new Spring colors for late 9 to 10 years. **69c**

Gives Birth to Twenty-fourth Child
By the Associated Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—



Exclusive Easter CANDIES

Our Candies have won an enviable reputation for their purity and delicious flavor. We have a wide assortment from which to make your Easter selections.

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CICARDI - ZELLER
Seventh and Olive

Mrs. Sebastian Marroquin, 44 years old, yesterday gave birth to her twenty-fourth child. Mrs. Marroquin, who first was married at the age of 14, has been married twice. Fourteen of her children are alive.

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The New Discovery Ends All Foot Troubles.

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FIGHT ON BABY CANAL ABOUT WON, OPPONENTS THINK

Nomination of Levee Board
Candidates Opposed to
Project, Given as Reason
for the Belief.

Opponents of Project No. 12, the \$8,000,000 "Baby Panama" drainage canal in East St. Louis and adjacent communities, feel their efforts for discontinuation of work on the project are approaching the stage where they promise to be successful.

The chief reason they give for their enthusiasm is that voters of the East St. Louis Levee and Sanitary District, which includes practically all of East St. Louis and portions of St. Clair and Madison counties, proved they are opposed to the project at the primary election April 8, when they defeated two candidates serving on the present Levee Board and candidates who were on the board when the contract for construction of the project was let in 1920 when prices were at their peak, and nominated a majority of candidates who have announced opposition to the project.

Status of Court Proceedings.
Successful court action to stop work on the canal is another reason opponents give in stating that the "death blow" has been dealt to Project 12. An injunction restraining the contractors from digging within the city limits was granted in East St. Louis City Court last June, and is still in effect. Another suit asking for an injunction to halt the project has been brought in St. Clair County Circuit Court. It alleges that the Levee District was beyond its constitutional limit of indebtedness when the contract for construction of the project was let. The case is scheduled for hearing next month.

The five successful Democratic candidates in the recent election made their campaign on a platform of "unreserved opposition to further work on Project No. 12," and promised, if elected, to take immediate steps to halt construction of the project. The Democratic candidates running for election next November are Earl W. Jimereson, Stephen Kerne, Emil Dingerson and Thomas J. Healy of East St. Louis and Peter Anson of Granite City.

Kramer Ticket Defeated.
This ticket overwhelmingly defeated a ticket headed by Harry Kramer, member of the present Levee Board and president of the board from 1916 to 1920, during which time the contract for construction of the project was let, providing payment of 35 cents a cubic yard for excavation when similar contracts were being let for 10 to 13 cents. Two other former Levee Board members were on the Kramer ticket.

Because of the fact that the district is normally democratic chief interest in the election centered in the Democratic contest.

The Republican candidates who will run for election in November are Emil Hobbs, John D. Jones and R. Newgent of East St. Louis, and Robert Schmidt and John W. Costley of Granite City. They oppose the project but think it has to be completed. President Martin D. Baker was defeated for the nomination, running seventh in a field of nine candidates. With Kramer, he has been given credit for purchase of right-of-way for construction of the canal at prices approximately double what real estate men have called reasonable, levying a tax of \$1.96 on the \$100 valuation for this year as compared to \$1.38 last year, the highest previous tax levied, and knocking out, through a technicality, the Holten bill, which provided that all bond issues of the Levee Board be submitted to a vote of the people and restricting the taxing power of the board.

Only One Member Renominated.
Schmidt was the only one of the trio controlling the present board to be renominated. Albert Meints and William Rothe, the project's opponents on the board now, would not run for re-election.

President Baker said yesterday the present Levee Board hoped to "dispose of" the cases now in court before it retired in December and said "business will be conducted as usual."

Mayor Stephens of East St. Louis, one of the chief opponents of the project, stated yesterday he was well pleased with the election results and said a determined effort will be made to successfully terminate action taken to halt construction of the project, which he has frequently termed a "wasteful and extravagant expenditure of the taxpayers' money."

TWO LIFE-TERMERS CAUGHT

Men Escaped From Chester Penitentiary Last September.

HERRIN, Ill., April 18.—John Roscoe and Frank Hoffman, escaped life-termers from the Chester Penitentiary, were arrested here today in a boarding house. They were convicted of murder in the East St. Louis riot a number of years ago.

The pair made their escape last September by sawing their way out of the penitentiary. The men are held in jail here awaiting a reply from the Chester authorities, who have been notified.

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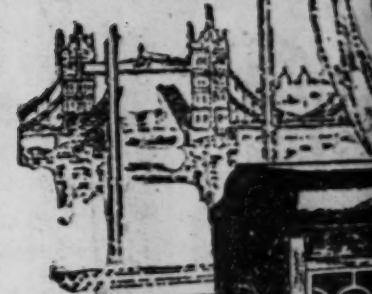
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Qualifications for University.
The Associated Press.
CHICAGO, April 18.—A plan for prospective students of Northwestern University by human strength, is to be put in effect, according to university officials, at the university high schools of the

Middle West, from which students are planning to come to Northwestern. The students based on personality, perseverance, alertness of mind, confidence and vigor of performance, promptness and accuracy, participation in activities, physical and mental defects had financial standing.

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YOUTH ARRESTED FOR AUTO THEFTS

James Widmer First Took Father's Machine and Then Two Others It Is Charged.

When James Widmer, 19, drove off in his father's Ford automobile without the parent's permission, several weeks ago, the charged that the automobile was plentiful, but that money was scarce. So he sold the automobile for cash, and later appropriated two other cars, and now faces both State and Federal prosecution.

The youth was arrested Tuesday night as he was changing a tire on one of the stolen cars—a Chevrolet—in an alley at Ninth and Rutgers streets. He gave an alias, and told detectives the car belonged to his father, but investigation of the motor numbers and police records revealed that it had been taken out by "James Widmer" of 1424 North Tenth street, from the garage of the James Motor Car Co., Clayton, and never returned. Also there was a warrant for James. The youth then admitted his identity.

Further search of records disclosed that Herman Widmer of 4653 Dahlia avenue had reported his Ford car stolen, and the youth admitted that this was his father and that he had driven the car to a Locust street automobile sales agency and sold it for \$190. The police traced the car to another firm, to which it had been resold, and confiscated the car, pending civil action between the two firms.

A still further examination of records disclosed a letter from the Sheriff at Lockport, Ill., asking for the arrest of young Widmer for a traffic violation in that place. The Sheriff reported that Widmer had left a Chevrolet impounded there as security for the fine. Questioned about this, young Widmer confessed he had stolen the automobile from Broadway and Morgan street on March 22, and abandoned it, as stated by the Sheriff, at Lockport. Its ownership was traced to Oscar Martin of Glendale, Mo. It was on this theft that Widmer was held for the Federal authorities for violation of the Dyer act.

CORONER SAYS MOORE DIED OF NATURAL CAUSES

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 18.—The death of John M. Moore, former president of the Fidelity National Bank and Trust Co., was not attributable to shock, resulting from disclosure of the \$50,000 shortage in his accounts, according to Coroner McDonald.

"His death was the result of systemic poisoning," Dr. McDonald said today. "It is miraculous that he lived as long as he did, considering the condition of his organs. Even had there been no crisis in his affairs, it is remarkable that he lived six days after his strength gave way completely."

Dr. McDonald made an autopsy yesterday afternoon to ascertain whether Moore's death yesterday was the result of a suicidal attempt. Moore was found unconscious last Friday in a locked room in his apartment, an handkerchief over his face. It was said the odor of chloroform was present. "The odor was mistaken for chloroform," Dr. McDonald said, "probably was the odor of systemic poisoning, caused by diabetes and nephritis. I am certain death was not due to a suicidal attempt."

HOLDUP SUSPECT FREED ON TWO ROBBERY CHARGES

Clay Cratty Proves He Was in Jail at Time, Although Victims Identified Him.

Clay Cratty, 23 years old, was released from two charges of highway robbery by nolle prosequi in Circuit Judge Hamilton's court yesterday after he had proven alibi by showing that he was in jail at the time each holdup took place. He was accused and identified by Walter Strubel of 3459B California avenue as the man who had robbed him of \$18 on Feb. 2, and by Arthur Birge of 6186 Kingsbury boulevard as the man who had robbed him of \$110 on Jan. 21. Cratty proved by records at St. Louis and Clayton jails, however, that he was in one or the other strongholds from Oct. 12 until Feb. 7.

NEW TRAIN TO BE OPERATED

"The Sunflower" to Run Between St. Louis and Wichita, Kan., May 4.

A new fast train, expected to open new trade territory for St. Louis, to be known as the "Sunflower," will be placed in operation by the Missouri Pacific Railroad between St. Louis and Wichita, Kan., May 4. The service will make St. Louis more accessible to the buying interests of the Kansas wheat belt, railroad officials believe, and may divert traffic and business that has been going to Chicago. Wichita is the leading city in Kansas in jobbing, manufacturing, bank clearings and postal receipts, it is stated.

The train will not go through Kansas City, but will reduce the distance by taking a cut-off through Pleasant Hill and Rich Hill, Mo., and Fort Scott, Kan. It will leave here at 7:30 p. m., reach Jefferson City at 11 p. m., Sedalia, Mo., at 12:30 a. m., and Wichita at 3:15 a. m. The eastern train will leave Wichita at 5:30 p. m. and reach here at 7:50 a. m. There will be a reduction of three hours in the service between the two terminals. The "Sunflower" is named for the floral emblem of Kansas.

LAUNDRY DRIVER ROBBED

Stranger Takes \$95 After Alexander Returns From Delivery.

When Wayne Alexander, chauffeur for the Wet Wash Laundry, returned to his truck after making a delivery at the Eugene Field Apartments, 4339 Olive street, last evening, he found a strange man on the driver's seat.

The man drew a revolver and robbed Alexander of \$95 and two checks, then tied a laundry sack over his head and thrust him into the rear of the truck. Tenants of the apartment later removed the sack from Alexander's head.

B. & O. Shopmen Ask for Parley.

By the Associated Press.
BALTIMORE, April 18.—Twenty thousand members of the federated shop crafts organization of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad have filed a request with road officers for a conference to consider restoration of the pay scale, in effect July 1, 1921. The increase sought would amount to 3 cents

ADVERTISING

YOU POOR KID, WHY ARE YOU SO SKINNY?

Don't your mother know that Cod Liver Oil will put pounds of good healthy flesh on your bones in just a few weeks?

Tell her every druggist has it in sugar-coated tablet form now so that you won't have to take the nasty, fishy-tasting oil that is apt to upset the stomach.

Tell her that McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets are chock-full of vitamins and are the greatest flesh producers and health builders she can find.

One sickly, thin kid, aged 9, gained 12 pounds in 7 months. She must ask Wolff-Wilson, Judge & Dolph Drug Store, Eaderle Drug Co., Johnson Bros. Drug Co. or any good druggist for McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets—50 tablets, 50 cents—as pleasant to take as candy. Get McCoy's, the original and genuine Cod Liver Oil Tablets.



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* Your home will radiate with happiness and contentment if furnished by the Star Furniture House. * And you'll rejoice when you see the tremendous savings in attractive home furnishings offered by the Star! * Only \$5 down will furnish your home completely under the STAR THRIFT PLAN. Ask for details: * Open Saturday until 10 P. M.

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Saturday Is Your Last Chance

Saturday is positively your last chance to buy Easter clothes! We are ready to give you last-minute service on any of your selections. Come early in the day! Special salespeople to handle the crowds.

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Your choice of the finest Suits you could possibly wish for—\$2 down. Wonderful new modes for Easter in wide variety. Don't be without a new Suit Easter morning. Our terms make it easy for you to own one. Pay after Easter!

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These are the kind of smart, new, stunning Coats that are so popular this season. Clever checks, smart stripes, beautiful plaids in many new styles. \$2 down is all you need.

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You'll want a new Dress for Easter. Come and see our wonderful selection! Hundreds of new models have arrived for the last-minute purchaser. Sizes for women, misses and special stouts. \$2 down will do!

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\$2250 VERDICT FOR DRIVER

Sue Based on Injury Due to Worn Brake on Ice Wagon.

A jury in Circuit Judge Landwehr's court yesterday decided that Albert Funkler, 3612 Lee avenue, is entitled to \$2250 on account of injury alleged to have been suffered Nov. 20, 1931, when driving an ice wagon of the company. He testified he put his right foot on the brake to avoid colliding with an automobile, but owing to the worn condition of the brake he was forced to use abnormal pressure, thereby straining tendons and ligaments of his leg. He was laid up in a hospital five days and had to go about on crutches several weeks, he said. His suit was for \$15,000 damages.

The defense denied that the brake was defective and contended that the injuries of which plaintiff complained were due to rheumatism from which he had previously suffered.

\$40,000 Fire at Shelbyville, Mo.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
SHELBYVILLE, Mo., April 18.—Three buildings were destroyed by fire here early this morning, doing damage estimated at \$40,000. The Shelbyville Bank was among the buildings destroyed. The loss of all was partly covered by insurance. This was the second disastrous fire here in 20 days.

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No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cured with a "dark brown taste," a bad breath, a full tongue, "the green" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimples.

Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable product. They contain no drugs, no chemicals, no harmful substances. They are the only effective result. Take one or two after each meal. See how much better you feel and look. The end.

STATE BARS SALE OF \$10,000,000 IN STOCK

Millsbaugh Makes Final Order Against Continental Gas and Electric Co.

By a Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 18.—State Finance Commissioner Millsbaugh today refused to reopen a recent ruling of the department denying the Continental Gas and Electric Corporation of Cleveland a permit to sell in Missouri securities from a proposed stock and bond flotation totaling \$10,000,000, part of which were to be sold in St. Louis. The commissioner's ruling reasserted the refusal of the permit, and sustained an earlier refusal on Feb. 25 last, by E. T. Hurwitz, Deputy Finance Commissioner, in charge of the "blue-sky" division. Millsbaugh's ruling followed a rehearing granted the Continental company.

This is the largest securities flotation ever ruled on adversely by the department since enactment of the first "blue-sky" law in Missouri, in 1913.

It is known that since Hurwitz first rejected the application for a stock-selling permit, on grounds that included apparent exaggeration of valuation by \$15,000,000, political pressure has been brought to bear on the department from various sources, including Republican politicians. Numerous conferences were held with the department, and the varied efforts to overthrow the ruling are said to have attracted attention of investment bankers in other states.

The Continental corporation operates numerous holding companies which control public utilities in several states. Recently it acquired a controlling interest in the Kansas City Securities Corporation, which owns a controlling interest in the common stock of the Kansas City Power and Light Co. The Continental then proposed to float \$5,000,000 in bonds, and \$5,000,000 in preferred stock, of the Continental company, to be used in completing the acquisition of the Kansas City Securities Corporation and make certain improvements. It was stated.

Analysis of the valuation figures, submitted by the Continental in the application for a permit, show an equity of only about \$4,000,000 to secure the proposed \$10,000,000 securities flotation, Hurwitz said today.

The company claimed assets aggregating about \$70,000,000, but these were declared excessive. Hurwitz said the Continental company proposed to dispose of what purported to be first mortgage bonds, but that these securities actually represented the equivalent on fourth mortgage bonds, not secured.

EMULATING EX-BURGLAR GETS YOUTH FIVE-YEAR SENTENCE

He Tells of Trying to Duplicate "Jobs" Other Told About When He Cracked Safes.

Listening to a reformer burglar and safecracker describe his early "jobs" was too much for Joseph Potrzebowski, 18 years old, he told Judge Falkenhainer today.

The explanation was advanced by Joseph as an addenda to his pleas of guilty to two charges of burglary and larceny. He was sentenced to five years at Booneville Reformatory, three years on one count and two on the other.

Joseph said that one time the ex-burglar had told how he robbed a cartoon company on North Market street. So Joseph took notes—the man had done his talking in the Potrzebowski saloon at 2107 North Twelfth street—and set out to duplicate the "job." He cracked safe at the W. W. Doane Carton Co. at 912 North Market street March 23 and got away with \$42.

Before that on March 13 he had broken into a safe of the Jacks-Evans Cloak Co., 1444 North Market street, and had made away with \$125.

But a "stool-pigeon" told on Joseph. Hence the pleas of guilty.

PRIVATE CAR IS SEIZED

Liquor Was Found in Coach Used By Long Island President.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, April 18.—Following the same procedure as in the case of the British steamship Orduna last month, the Government yesterday seized and impounded a private car No. 29 of the Long Island Railroad, aboard which wine and liquor were found April 3.

Charles Jones, negro steward, arrested for possessing the liquor, told prohibition agents the car was used by President George L. Bottillier of the Long Island Railroad. A bond of \$15,000, the inventory value of the 24-year-old vehicle, was immediately posted by the railroad company to obtain its release pending a settlement. United States Attorney Hayward, who instituted the proceedings, said this was the first time a railroad car has been seized in this district under the Volstead act.

Gave Wrong Address.

Thomas Butler of 1840 Ridge avenue denied today that Edward McGuire, 25, who was arrested early yesterday after his pal, George (Monk) Young, was fatally shot by Patrolman Robert J. Bourland, who interrupted their attempt to rob an oil filling station, lived at that place. When booked at Police Headquarters McGuire gave that address as his home.

LANE, FIRED FOR GOING TO SENATE INQUIRY, REINSTATED

Missourian Again Counsel in Army Air Service But Must Stand Trial for Insubordination

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Thomas F. Lane, former Missouri State Senator, who was dismissed as legal adviser to the army air service because, he charged, he visited the Senate Brookhart committee hearing concerning aircraft "scandals" was reinstated today by Secretary of War Weeks.

Weeks' action was predicated on a report by Inspector General Charles H. Patterson, who found, after an investigation, that Lane was "fired without a hearing."

"There is nothing in his official record to reflect on his services from his first temporary employment," said Patterson, "and he has rendered services of very great value to the Government."

Lane, however, must stand trial on a charge of insubordination preferred him by Capt. W. S. Voland, his immediate superior.

COOLIDGE MAY SOUND HIS "KEYNOTE" TUESDAY

President to Address Associated Press in New York Tuesday on Important Subjects.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—After one or two false alarms, President Coolidge very likely will utilize his speaking engagement in New York Tuesday for sounding his own "keynote." It will be his first formal address following the sewing up of the Cleveland convention for his nomination and an occasion which will demand something bolting to those of the G. O. P. faith because of the recent impetus to Gov. Smith's boom for the Democratic nomination.

Mr. Coolidge retired to his study in the White House yesterday to work on his New York address, which he will deliver before the Associated Press and American Newspaper Publishers' Association at noon April 22. It was intimated the speech will contain an important message.

The President declined other invitations to speak on approximately the same date.

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MAN STRANGLED IN HER HOME; THREE MEN HELD

Neighbors Heard Disturbance in Flat.

CHICAGO, April 18.—Three men held in connection with the slaying of Mrs. Beattie Gargan, 26 years old, a restaurant cashier, found tonight tied to a bed in her flat, surrounded with a sheet.

They are Alexander Gordon, 30, police say, posed as her husband and formerly was her partner in a restaurant, and Abraham, 30, and Harry Cohen, 26, who were also held. No information in the case was obtained from the mystery men had not been according to police.

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By the Associated Press.

Three of the giant air craft—Curtiss—left the New Orleans airport today for Alaska Island. The scheduled flight was delayed by a Aleutian Island storm. At Dutch Harbor, the arrival of the three flyers was greeted by a crowd of 100 men, who are at K. his disabled.

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America to work. The wounded still troubled him but he feared if he complained, and it was known he had been a German soldier, American Legionnaires might have him deported. Infection developed and he told a neighbor, a member of the American Legion. So the Legionnaires yesterday took him to a hospital.

Defends Oil Leases Before House.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Another speech defending the Sinclair and Doheny naval oil reserve leases was delivered in the House yesterday by Representative Winter (Rep.), Wyoming, who recently declared in an address that he believed the best interests of the Government were served by the contracts. Reiterating that the question of alleged fraud and corruption in connection with the leases must be determined by the courts, Winter said the time had come for good sense and sober judgment by the public and Congress in determining whether the leases are good or bad.

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Political Gossip of W

Senatorial Oligarchy, So Long in Grip on Coolidge, Uneasy About Lots of Holes and Only One Plug Them With: La Follette, Senate, and a Game of Mah Jongg

By CHARLES MICHELSON, Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The senatorial oligarchy, the group of Republican statesmen who have directed Roosevelt's time, is uneasy about the Cleveland convention. It did not produce Mr. Coolidge in 1920—a precipitate Oregon delegate having slipped him into the Senate. They had reserved for Senator Lenroot—and never has had a real grip on him.

In 1920 the vice-presidential nomination seemed conventionally unimportant; this year it promises to mean a whole lot, and Mr. Coolidge and the elder statesmen are not quite in a word as to what sort of a running mate is most expedient.

It would not be fair to say Mr. Coolidge has ignored the Senate oligarchy; on the contrary, there has not been a time in many administrations when the Senate has been so infested by the oligarchy as now. But neither has there been a time when the oligarchy has been so cordially disregarded.

From that far-off day when the World Court had Lodge and Walcott knitting their brows, to the expelling of Daugherty, the President has preferred his own political judgment to theirs. He held on to Daugherty when they were all insisting it was party suicide to do so, and just when they were talking to the point of telling him that so long as he had retained Daugherty during the worst of the party's hard times, it was the best policy to go through on those lines, Mr. Coolidge tossed him explaining in now that they are President that easy words to the Senate show he can expect nothing but hostility from the Progressives, and the only way to handle them is to starve them to death.

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"And He's Generally a-Shammin' When He's Dead"

The dumping of Harry M. Daugherty really marked a departure in the political strategy of President Coolidge. For the first time he actually made a foray from the etatelle of his position and deliberately invoked the hostility of a conspicuous figure of his party. Perhaps the novelty of his performance explains how long he was about it, rather than a quality of indecision and procrastination, which his enemies accuse the President.

The nuisance value of Daugherty's presence is a deliberate equation. The President's friend insists that, out of office, the former Attorney-General amounts to nothing in Ohio; that the foundation of his organization was the patronage he commanded, and that the loyalty of the Daugherty crew was to the jobs and not to the man.

Daugherty's friends—and they are not few—say he had neither prestige of high office nor patronage when he stood the Ohio organization on its head and brought out Warren G. Harding. Whether the danger from Daugherty is great or small, the President finally decided to risk it and if he loses Ohio in the election, rightly or wrongly the credit or blame will go to Daugherty.

There are those who say that Daugherty is a matter of political preservation must torpedo Coolidge. If he doesn't he'll be about as important in politics hereafter as a whippersnapper on an automobile. Nobody is going to accord Daugherty any consideration for a Coolidge victory, but a dread eminence for inapplicability will be his if the President loses Ohio, regardless of the ex-Attorney-General's public declaration of unchanged loyalty.

Let Coolidge be defeated in Daugherty's State and the ex-Attorney-General will be treated with distinguished respect by the next Republican candidate. Every political chameleon of Daugherty—and there are plenty of them in the administration—thinks he got a bad deal from the President.

The story is going around, being more and more embroidered as it travels, that last fall when Daugherty asked to be permitted to quit the Cabinet, saying he was tired and ill, the President told him not to insist on leaving and stated his ambition to maintain the Harding Cabinet intact for at least the period of what would have been Harding's term. This was Daugherty's second offer of his resignation, the first being when he returned from San Francisco on the Harding funeral train and placed the written document before the President, telling him this was not the mere formal procedure the circumstance called for, but a sincere desire to return to private life.

The Absent Treatment as Hughes Remembers It

The Daugherty situation is not new in politics, Mr. Hughes failed to

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In both medium and dark shades may you choose these correct Spring Suits; single and double breasted models of all-wool materials that are certain to give very satisfactory service. All sizes for men and young men.

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Largest Assortments and Best Values

A more advantageous choice of correct Spring headwear could scarcely be afforded. The latest shapes and shades are shown and the makes are excellent. Domestic and imported kinds, including the following well-known makes:

Stetson Hats in Many Styles,
\$7, \$8 and \$10

Black derbies and soft hats in the latest models; wide choice of shades in soft hats.

Borsalino Hats
—from Italy—widely known to particular men; various shapes and shades. Priced here, \$8.50

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—In approved derbies and soft models; styles and shades that are correct in every way. Priced, \$5, \$6 and \$7

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—In various soft models—lined with silk or satin and very smartly styled. Priced at \$34

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Boys' Caps for Easter

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One-piece and 8-4 styles popular for Spring; choice of the newest shades to match boys' suits; also smart caps of blue serge.

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—of leather and attractive cloths; many with embroidered name bands. Usual choice at \$2.00

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—made by hand and in plain navy, brown and black as well as combinations. Priced, \$2 to \$5

Let Your Last-Minute Easter Choice Be Made From These

\$6 to \$7 Silk Shirts

—2400 in an Unusual Group
Special at \$4.95

The excellence of these Shirts will make them the choice of many men, and their value make them even more attractive. Tailored of satin-striped radium, broadcloth and jersey or crepes in novelty effects—with pre-shrunk neckbands and certain to please.

In all-white, plain colors and neat stripes. All sizes.

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—in White, Tan or Gray

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Saturday, at the Special Price of

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Boys' \$2.85 Shirts

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White, tan, blue or gray English broadcloth Shirts in neckband style with separate collars to match and turnback cuffs. 12½ to 14 neck.

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—of crepe, Jersey and broadcloth; neckband style with turn-back cuffs. Sizes 12½ to 14 neck. Special at \$3.95

Sports Blouses
—of white, tan or gray English broadcloth; short sleeves and sports collar. Sizes 8 to 16 years. At \$1.85

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—of cut silks or of silk-and-wool; appropriate shapes and lengths and all ideal for Easter suits. Priced, 75c



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New Topcoats in sizes 2 to 4 years. Well tailored of tweeds, plaid weaves, polar cloth and novelty mixtures. Plain or belted styles.

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In either plain or box pleated models—splendidly tailored of serviceable, all-wool blue serges. Sizes from 6 to 18 years.

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Men's Athletic Union
of English broadcloth,
length, sleeveless style,
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PART TWO.

Political Gossip of Washington

Senatorial Oligarchy, So Long in Power, With No Real Grip on Coolidge, Uneasy About Cleveland Convention; Lots of Holes and Only One Vice Presidency to Plug Them With; La Follette, Probable Democratic Senate, and a Game of Mah Jongg.

By CHARLES MICHELSON,

Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The senatorial oligarchy, the group of Republican statesmen who have directed the Cleveland campaign since Roosevelt's time, is uneasy about the Cleveland campaign.

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to shake hands with Hiram Johnson in San Francisco in 1916 and foregathered with his foes, and Hughes lost California and the presidency. Yet nobody has ever been able to show Johnson did or said anything that would account for the 300,000 votes the Senator got and the presidential candidate missed.

True, Daugherty is not the power in Ohio Johnson was in California, but no man runs the political gamut that the ex-Attorney-General has without retaining considerable capacity for harm. If the project now under way to name Sena-

goes through, it will have even the Daugherty incident that nominates him. Except for the uncertainty as to how dead Daugherty is, they would not be talking of drafting the Ohio Senator for a job he doesn't want.

Unfortunately, there is only one vice presidency and a whole flock of holes they would like to plug with that job. Willis, to exercise the Daugherty curse in Ohio, Len-

root, to mitigate the La Follette blight in Wisconsin; Watson, to save Indiana from the consequences of the scandal of Gov. McCray; and Senator Norris or Borah, to fold the divergent wings of the party into a dove-like peace.

The question is being raised whether the compelling of a Progressive vice presidential candidate is not at the base of a Cabinet plan to run independent rather than a mere mischievous purpose of showing his power by casting the election into the House of Representatives.

The mere threat of a third party is calculated to force the Republicans to try for Kenyon, Norris or Borah as Coolidge's running mate.

Democrats Practically Certain to Win Senate.

The course of legislation so far in this Congress has shown the impracticability of smothering the insurgent movement. In addition to this, there is the practical certainty that the Democrats will have a majority in the next Senate, in which even the Progressive bloc will be very much less important than now when they hold the balance of power, and may therefore be more amenable to an invitation to come back into the reservation.

The expectation of the Democrats winning the Senate, whatever happens to the presidency, is based on the solid circumstance that this year practically all the Democrats who come up for re-election are from the South, where there is no hope of defeating them, while the Republicans on the griddle are nearly all from debatable territory.

Walsh of Massachusetts is about the only Democratic Senator who might be displaced, and even that is a forlorn hope. The other Walsh, of Montana, was in jeopardy only because he became a national figure, but now even the Ku Klux is saying "What's the use?" when plans for fighting him are discussed.

To get back to La Follette: For the first time in his long history of power, he has the Republican Party where it must do pretty much as he tells it. Unless it does, the Wisconsin mandarin can make the nomination of as much use to Mr. Coolidge as adoption into the Sioux tribe, which no President escapes.

To mah jongg the situation—they are trying to teach that game to the President—La Follette can either chow or punt when the Republican Party is in the hands of the Old Guard leaders are banking on the theory that La Follette is bluffing; that he will never surrender his rebel chiefdom to Borah or Kenyon or anybody else, but they are not sure of it, still less are they sure they can make Coolidge stand pat, and they know if the Northwestern States are not in the Republican column this time, the presidency is gone.

Whatever else it impends, there is no landslide their way this time.

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PALMER SAYS STORY OF MEANS IS FALSE

Declares Course of Committee Is Calculated to Discount Its Sincerity.

By the Associated Press.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 18.—A. Mitchell Palmer, former Allen Property Custodian and former Attorney-General, has issued a statement referring to the testimony of Gaston B. Means before the Daugherty investigating committee.

"The lurid tale of a plot on the part of Attorney-General Daugherty to blackmail me into using my influence with Congress on his behalf is a tissue of falsehood from beginning to end," says the statement.

"It is an amazing thing that a committee of the United States Senate would allow itself to become the medium of broadcasting to the world the false and ridiculous charges of a witness of the character of Gaston B. Means, designed to blacken the reputation of honest and conscientious public officials."

"For 18 months after the Harding administration came into power the Department of Justice was investigating the operations of the Allen Property Custodian under the administration of Francis B. Garvan and myself. Inspired by the complaints of Germans whose property we had lawfully taken during the war, their attack was directed chiefly at the sales of the Bosch Magneto Co. and the chemical patents to the Chemical Foundation. Similar charges were made as to both, but we no longer hear about the Chemical Foundation, for in the case of the Bosch Magneto Co. the case was finally brought suit, and the United States Court for the District of Delaware, in a sweeping decision, confirmed all that the Allen Property Custodian had done and administered a stinging rebuke to the Department of Justice for bringing the suit upon false and baseless charges."

No Evidence of Wrongdoing.

"The same result will be reached in the Bosch Magneto case if it is ever brought into a tribunal where the laws of evidence obtain. The reason no indictment was found in the Bosch Magneto case was not because of the fantastic and absurd plot of blackmail that Means describes, but because there was no evidence of wrongdoing. In fact, the case was presented to two grand juries in Washington and one in New York, when the department offered all of the evidence that vindicated and prejudiced agents of the Germans were able to produce, and both grand juries refused to indict. Nothing even amounting to a technical irregularity could be shown."

"As for my conference with Mr. Daugherty, the whole thing was a lie out of whole cloth. When I learned of the investigation and discovered that the agents of the department were prying into my private and personal affairs, I announced my bank accounts and listening to all the calumnies of my political enemies in true Burns Detective Agency style. I went to Mr. Daugherty of my own volition, telling him that I welcomed an investigation into all and any phases of my administration as Allen Property Custodian and offered every assistance in my power to facilitate it. He asked no favors and expressed no fears."

"I did insist that when the investigation was over the result should be published in order to put an end to the German-inspired insinuations which had heretofore filled the columns of sensational newspapers. It has always seemed to me that an ordinary sense of fairness should have moved the Department of Justice to publish the results of the investigation, but I am not sure that I am not a bit of a prophet."

Questions Sincerity of Committee.

"In the face of these findings, which must be within the knowledge of the Senate committee, for that committee to allow a witness like Means to repeat his unfounded charges, long since disproved, and well calculated to discount the sincerity of this present investigation, and to justify the widespread criticism of the Senate for becoming a medium of distribution of slander and slinger of mud."

"There were some irregularities in the administration of the enemy property in the Philippine Islands, in the early months of the war, but the chief of lack of knowledge of the law on the part of Governor-General Harrison before a copy of the trading with the enemy act was passed, and the fact that I learned of these irregularities, prompt steps were taken to correct them, first by setting aside by executive order all the sales made by Harrison, and second, by removing Harrison as Allen Property Custodian, and sending a new agent, Mr. Douglas Moffat, of the New York bar, to replace him. Moffat remained in the Philippines for nearly a year, and I am sure that the investigation will show that all the enemy properties in the islands were handled by him in strict accordance with every provision of the law."

'STAR WITNESSES' ALL GIVE TESTIMONY FAVORABLE TO WHEELER IN SENATE INQUIRY

Federal Charges All Denied—Solicitor Says Senator Did Not Appear Before U. S. Department as Alleged.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON.

A Special Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—At the end of the first day's session of the Senate committee, appointed to investigate the charges upon which Senator Burton K. Wheeler was indicted in Montana, indications abounded that, unless more substantial evidence were forthcoming, the indictment was likely to result more seriously for those who brought it than for Wheeler. The opening hearing was a continuous vindication of the Montana Senator. This may indicate the present state of the case: When Chairman Borah was asked after the opening hearing what other witnesses would be called he replied: "You have heard the star witnesses."

Wheeler is charged with violating the statute which prohibits a Senator from practicing law before a Government department. The intention of the law is to prevent members of Congress from using their influence with the executive departments to obtain unwarranted favors for clients.

A Senator or Representative is not prohibited from practicing law anywhere else. Wheeler is charged with appearing before the Department of the Interior as attorney for the Montana oil operator, in connection with the granting of permits to drill Government land.

That he did so was flatly denied yesterday by three important sources. Campbell himself denied it and it was denied by Wheeler's law partner, James H. Baldwin, who produced the firm's books to the Senate committee. The third and perhaps most important witness on that score was Edwin S. Booth, solicitor for the department at the time and hence its chief lawyer. There was no dissenting note in the testimony.

Attorney in Law Suits.

That Wheeler did represent Campbell in a number of law suits is true. But there is no criticism of that perfectly legitimate transaction. Virtually all members of Congress who are lawyers maintain a certain amount of private practice, one of the most conspicuous in my belief being Senator Reed of Missouri. The question at issue is whether Wheeler deviated from the handling of Campbell's law suits long enough to be considered a lawyer in the department in his behalf.

It became plain yesterday that an important, if not the principal phase of the case against Wheeler, consisted of four telegrams from Campbell to Wheeler and the latter's replies. Wheeler himself produced copies of these messages for the committee.

Booth explained that a creditor bank had advertised a foreclosure sale upon a part of his equipment and proposed to remove the casing from some of the wells. This would ruin the wells and as they were on land leased from the Government, Campbell asked Wheeler if the Interior Department would not intervene.

The second telegram from Campbell to Wheeler was to the effect that the department about certain permits which he held to drill public land. Wheeler's reply advised him that it had been arranged for Campbell to have a personal interview with Solicitor Booth when he came to Washington.

Secretary Sent Telegrams.

R. A. Haste, Wheeler's secretary, told the writer yesterday that he had sent both of the telegrams to the postmaster, accompanied by a request that they be called as a witness. They were handled as an ordinary request from a constituent would be handled, in the routine of office business, he added. Wheeler, however, does not intend to take advantage of that fact. He said yesterday he would take any responsibility incurred by the fact that they were sent. He does not consider them of any consequence. The contents of the messages, as a matter of fact, did not seem to impress the committee. The manner in which they were obtained by the prosecuting authorities at Great Falls, Mont. He said his office was visited in his absence by the postmaster, accompanied by a Postoffice Inspector and two special agents of the Department of Justice, who went through his papers and seized all his correspondence with Wheeler without any semblance of legal formality such as a search warrant or subpoena.

From the line of questioning it followed that the committee intended to go to the bottom of it. Borah carefully took the names of all those in the raiding party.

Tom Stout's Testimony.

Taking the witnesses as they appeared, the first was former Congressman Tom Stout of Montana, who, incidentally, was beaten by Wheeler in the primary when the latter was nominated for Senator.

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Daily Mirror—of—Washington

A report day by day of what politicians of the National Capital are talking about.

By CLINTON W. GILBERT

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There is comedy in the fact that the Republicans, who nominally control the executive department, and both houses can't turn a wheel. And there's comedy in the further fact that the Democrats can't find a candidate big enough to run for Deputy Sheriff.

Then, it seems to me funny that people, after they have arranged with all sorts of taboos to keep any big men out of office, should then as soon as they have filled the place, pretend that the second-rate they have chosen is one of life's anointed, just as I suppose these African tribes when they found a chief who wouldn't die from the plucking he received pretended that he was a god and capable of hanging out weather in assorted packages. And I think McLean, thrusting himself into the center of a scandal merely because he could not bear to be left out of the picture, is irresistibly comic. And it amuses me to see Senator La Follette preparing to do to his friends the Democrats next time, if they win, what he's been doing all this session to his friends the Republicans.

Wheeler in Washington and signed "Gordon Campbell," said: "Please advise when you expect to return. Believe matter of Lincoln permit vital. It is possible you can come to Washington and discuss matters with him with view to satisfactory settlement of the fee as you see fit."

"And you have some pretty good fights out in your State, don't you?" suggested Senator Caraway. "Yes, the fighting is very good out there, and it's always open season on progressive politicians," drawled the witness, to the intense amusement of those present.

Several witnesses have been summoned from Montana, but have not arrived. The committee adjourned yesterday to meet at the call of the chairman.

An effort of the special Assistant Attorney-General who procured the indictment to be heard in executive session brought from Senator Caraway the reply that the committee would conduct no star chamber proceeding—that "a man who can't tell the truth in public won't tell it in secret."

Blair Coon, the Republican National Committee investigator, hovered about the committee room but was not called.

Text of Telegrams.

Before Booth was called, Haste, Wheeler's secretary, identified the telegrams exchanged between Wheeler's office in Washington and Campbell's office in Montana in March, 1923. He told the committee that he had "handled" the telegrams and was not sure that they had even been called to Wheeler's attention, explaining that transactions mentioned in the messages were mere office routine and "involved a part of a Senator's duty in Washington."

One of the telegrams in the case, dated at

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THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM.

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight for the rights of the people, never favor the interests of any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will not be published. Letter not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

Defends Illinois' Choice.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

O one living in Illinois there is nothing at all mysterious in the results of the Republican primary in Illinois last week. But to those that see the Illinois political world through the eyes of the Chicago Tribune and the Daily News, we agree, the matter takes on a mystery that arouses wonder. The fact that the entire State administration ticket, all the opponents of Gov. Small, lost out in the primary, and lost out, too, by the largest majorities in the country district that are less preyed upon by the boss politicians indicates that the common people have won a great victory.

The solution offered by the Post-Dispatch that "Small's nomination is a victory for the type of politicians that flourished when bossism was in flower" is true. In the inverse, the Brundage-McCormick defeat is a victory in that the people have rebuked bossism and administered a stinging blow to the corrupt financial interests that have long controlled the politics in Illinois.

If the Post-Dispatch and the Globe-Democrat, which at the eleventh hour called in the path of the Chicago Tribune were familiar with the actual political conditions in Illinois as they really exist instead of viewing them through the prejudiced columns of the Chicago press, they too would easily understand why Illinois gave Small and his entire ticket such an overwhelming majority last week. Just take a drive over our hard roads some day and stop anywhere and talk with the people and you will get your eyes open to two conditions. Lincoln used to constantly admonish his law partner, Herndon, with these words: "Keep close to the people, Billy." That's the best advice in the world for a newspaper editor, and the Post-Dispatch and the Globe-Democrat ought to memorize this sentence. Then they would easily understand the victory of the people over the interests in the primary election in Illinois last week.

HAL W. TROVILLO.

Roscoe vs. Mabel.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

WHY is it that the people of St. Louis didn't give Patty Arbuckle or his pictures the same consideration that has been given to the Mabel Normand? The children and grown-ups enjoyed his comedies as much, if not more, than they do hers, so why condemn him? Give Patty Arbuckle the same chance as Miss Normand. Let's have someone else's view on the subject.

MRS. MINA NORTON.

Quick Work in Accident Case.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I report which you published on April 12 of an unfortunate fatal accident to a 3-year-old child on North Seventh street, which you state took place at 3:30 p. m. the previous evening, you state "the police were told the child ran from behind a parked automobile and into the left front side of a taxi being driven under the wheels. An hour and a half was required to disengage her."

The accident took place in manner stated, but actually occurred at 5:47 p. m. instead of 3:30 p. m. The motorist and conductor were prevented from leaving the car, but they got a passenger to call our Wash street trouble station, where the call was received at 6 p. m. Automobile trouble trucks Nos. 12 and 14 from that station responded immediately, and the road was cleared at 6:06 p. m. In other words, only six minutes were consumed by the two crews in getting out from the station to the scene of the accident, jacking up the car, removing the body of the child and lowering the car onto the tracks. This was all completed in nine minutes from the time of the accident instead of an hour and a half as stated in your article.

Our trouble stations have instructions to send two crews immediately in case of a person being caught under a car. The car was held for a short time after the above while the police were taking names of witnesses and testimony, but with all that this car arrived at end of its run, the car sheds, only 18 minutes late.

A. T. PERKINS.

Manager for the Receiver United Railways of St. Louis.

How Many Bonuses?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

WILL some ex-service man please explain how many bonuses they expect to get before they quit harping on the subject? They each got or will get out from the State, and now they want one from the Government. Why not ask the city of St. Louis for one also? Why keep up this infernal yowling for bonuses? A bonus doesn't pay for the service they rendered. It must be considered merely as a little handout to compensate you. The big thing the American Legion should be fighting for is to see that injured comrades are properly compensated and taken care of, and not permitted to starve and be a burden on the nation. The White House asking for a bonus for able-bodied ex-service men.

THE STREET RAILWAY CRISIS.

Chief Engineer L. R. Bowen, in charge of bridges and buildings for the Board of Public Service, in his report urging the purchase and operation of the street railway system by the city, presents considerations and questions touching the advantages of city ownership that are difficult to answer.

He points out the savings that could be effected by cheaper financing through the city's credit, and the very great advantages of city ownership and control for the public. The city could issue tax-exempt bonds at a low rate of interest and thus save great sums on the purchase price and on future extensions and improvements. The heavy taxes assessed against the company could be utilized in cheaper fares and better service, with a surplus left to pay for the system and the interest on the bonds.

The question of adequate urban transportation must be taken up seriously by the city. The people of St. Louis and the city's suburbs must have adequate transportation. In a short time it will be necessary to solve the question of rapid transit, through subways. And it is certain that a great addition to transportation facilities cannot be accomplished without the use of the city's credit. If the city's credit is to be used, why should it not be used for the benefit of the people instead of for the benefit of a corporation? Mr. Bowen calls attention to the interruptions of the extension and improvement of the service, to the scandal of overcapitalization, to other scandals connected with private ownership, to the hostility which exists between the public and the street railway corporation, and to the constant friction between the city, the public and the corporation over street car service.

Mr. Bowen emphasizes the point made by the Post-Dispatch and lightly tossed aside by the Mayor, that the city should immediately interest itself in the reorganization of the United Railways, and in seeking a conclusion which will be advantageous to the city. The pending reorganization and the valuation of the United Railways by the Public Service Commission offer opportunities for a solution of the street railway problem which probably will not be equalled again for many years.

Whether we are ready to enter upon municipal ownership and operation, which undoubtedly is the trend in all cities, provision undoubtedly should be made for the establishing of sound relations between the city and the street railway corporation which will insure to the benefit of all concerned and which will particularly assure adequate service.

The Post-Dispatch suggested the adoption of the Cleveland system, by which a fair return on the investment is assured investors and the city controls service, extensions and improvements, under a working agreement with the owners of the system. This at least would be a step in the right direction, and might easily be arranged under an agreement which would permit the city at any time to take over the properties.

Undoubtedly the ideal solution is municipal ownership and operation, for the benefit of the public. But precisely how the danger of political manipulation to which Mr. Bowen calls attention, can be avoided, has yet to be settled. There are possible evils on the side of public ownership and on the side of private ownership. The question is which is the least of the evils, and how whatever danger there may be in either solution can be minimized.

The suggestion that a commission be appointed to take up these questions and find the solution of the problem is excellent. We have already urged that step and the suggestion is greatly strengthened by Mr. Bowen's report.

Shall we act vigorously to find a solution of the street railway question, which will contribute vastly to the benefit of St. Louis people, or shall we merely drift along, with the possibility of finding obstructions and conditions which will seriously hamper the growth of St. Louis and keep the people under a heavy burden of discomfort and inconvenience? This is the question put up to the municipal authorities by the Bowen report.

THE JAPANESE TEMPEST.

When Ambassador Hanihara predicted "grave consequences" following this Government's decision to scrap the "gentlemen's agreement" in favor of complete legal exclusion as provided in the new immigration bill amendment he was merely forecasting what already has begun to happen in Japan. The news of the Senate's action has struck the island empire at the height of a political campaign. The Jingo press is inflaming the people to a frenzy of anti-American feeling. A former Japanese Ambassador to Turkey says if the exclusion provision is made law "we Japanese will feel that the Americans have spat in our face." When such utterances are made before public audiences and mass meetings the Japanese public naturally is swept off its balance by a fanaticism of race pride.

What is it all about? The Senate has voted merely to write into law what already exists in fact—the exclusion of Japanese immigrants from our ports. The difference in the old practice and the proposed law is only in theory. The first emotion was aroused in the United States Senate when members began to see in Ambassador Hanihara's appeal a challenge of the right of the United States to regulate its own immigration. Such challenge was denied by the Ambassador, but the Senate had already thrown its first fit of fury.

The tempest in Japan and in the Senate is wholly a matter of misunderstanding and blind pride. The Japanese must become reconciled to the fact sooner or later that they are not wanted as residents of the United States. Certainly they would not waive the right to exclude Americans from Japan. From the fanning of mob passions, national brainstorms, anger or later leading to war, a motorist litigant contends that horses should have tail lights. And how about other pedestrians?

are to be expected. We have the right to expect more from the sometimes styled "greatest deliberative body of the world."

CRIMINALS ALL.

Discerning citizens will observe the significance in the new regulations, effective next month, for the enforcement of the national prohibition law. The tightening-up process is not directed, in this instance, at the luckless alien who is frequently presented as the arch-adversary of the new dispensation. It is on the American freewheel that the suns are now trained. It is the home brewer whose activities have challenged the skill and strength of the agency charged with the enforcement of the Volstead act.

Accordingly, the sale of apparatus, in toto or in parts, as well as such products as syrups, hops, fruit juices and the like, together with formulas, recipes and other instructions for manufacturing liquor for use in the home or elsewhere, will be forbidden.

The sponsors, however, are admittedly not over-sanguine as to the success of the revised thou-shalt-nots. They acknowledge the difficulty of enforcing prohibitions where no intent to violate the law is or can be known. When Mrs. John Smith, for example, phones for a few pounds of dried fruit, how is the grocer to say that his desirable customer and estimable neighbor is a she-villain bent on violating the law? He may suspect, of course, but he cannot be sure. And if the grocer of our hypothesis happens to be one of those "200-per-cent Americans" who hates everybody and delights in suspecting the worst—if the grocer, being that kind of a bird, refuses to fill the order because of his mistaken notion of the customer's felonious designs, he is bound, manifestly, to find himself involved in all the 57 varieties of trouble, damage suits and physical discipline that follow in the wake of slander.

But regardless of the difficulties to be encountered, the important point is that the prohibition unit, by its amended regulations, has officially acknowledged the extent of the home-brewing practice. It has officially placed the stamp of lawlessness upon the American home. It has officially initiated the Mayflower descendant and the latest immigrant into the same criminal fraternity. Blue-eyed Nordic and black-eyed Mediterranean, Puritan and Cavalier, believer and infidel, whatever our origin or status, the mark of the beast is upon us all. We are all branded criminals—and branded officially.

HELPING THE KLAN.

The shooting up of the home of Sam Stearns, exalted cyclops of the Ku Klux Klan, at Marion, Ill., at 2 a. m. Tuesday night, is supposed to have been a result of a new outbreak of the factional war that has disgraced Williamson County for many months.

The Post-Dispatch condemns unqualifiedly the perpetrators of this outrage, which caused the wounding of one man and might have resulted in at least three deaths. It was a cowardly, unprovoked act. Action of this kind will tend to strengthen the Klan instead of injuring it. If the guilty persons can be discovered, they should be punished. Opponents of Klan teachings and practices can only prevail against its efforts by keeping within the law and setting an example of good citizenship.

GOOD FRIDAY.

The historical associations of the day we know as Good Friday are of great interest, as showing to a marked degree that the observance of this day commemorated a real event; for Eusebius, one of the fathers of the church, says in his writings, in the year 260 A. D., that the day had been observed long before his time. The first Christian Emperor, Constantine, ordered a cessation from all labor on this day.

It is observed with special solemnity by the Church of England, the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, as well as in the Roman Catholic Church all over the world. In England and Ireland the day is by law a "dies non" on which all business is suspended. In Scotland the day till recently met with no peculiar attention, but lately even the Presbyterians have shown a disposition to fall in with the rest of Christendom to observe Good Friday.

No day has more impressive, more universal or more human associations. Whether we believe in its religious sanctions or not, we cannot but feel that its influence is, like its name, good. For the event it commemorates is the laying down of a life—to look at it merely on the human side—for truth. From the religious point of view, Good Friday expresses the ideal of divine altruism, love sacrificing itself for humanity. "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friend." But the story of the Master reveals a love beyond human comprehension, in that He laid down His life, as it is said, for His enemies also.

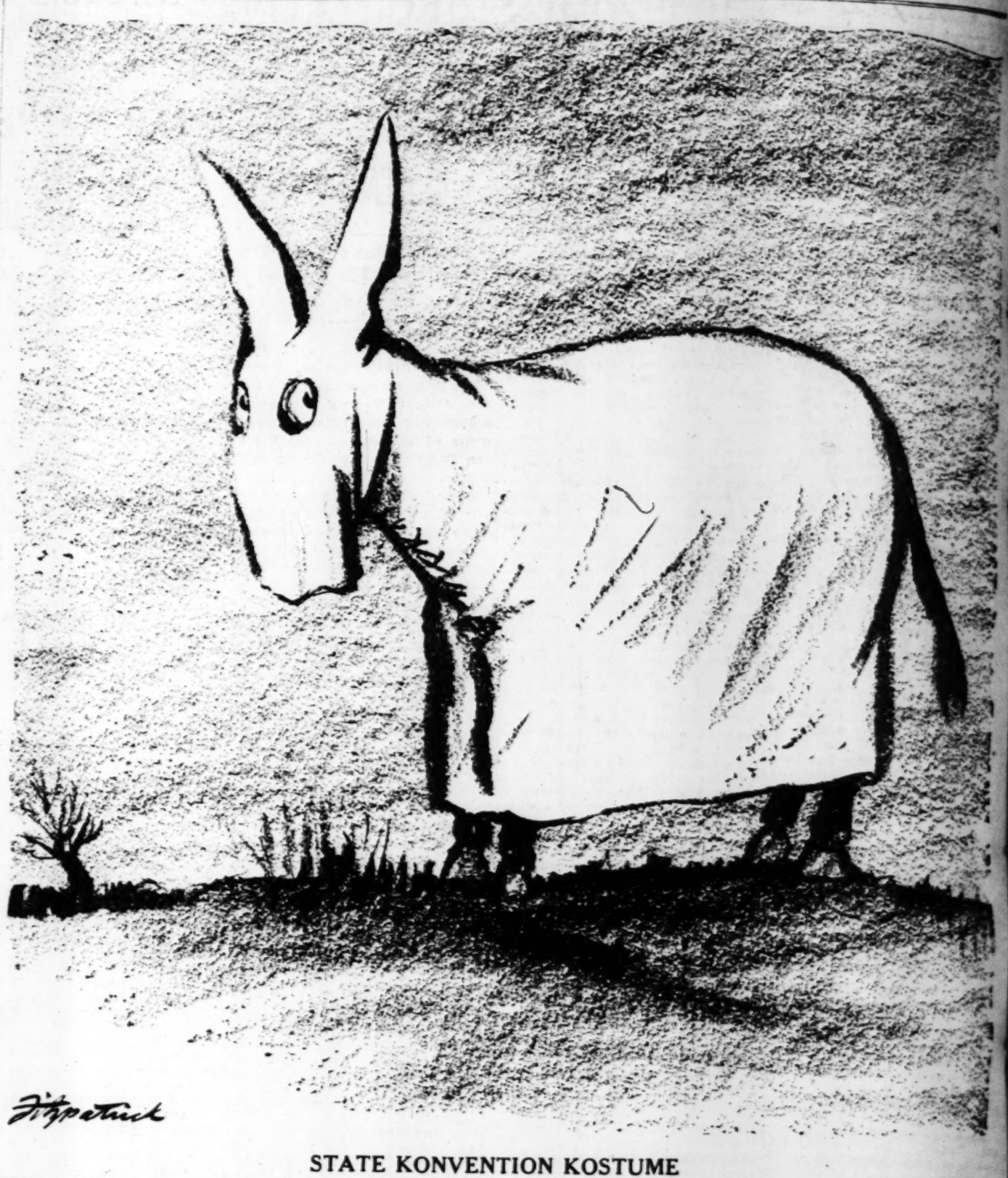
MR. HUGHES' BLUNDER.

It would have been far easier for Secretary Hughes to prevent the agitation over the Japanese Ambassador's letter than it ever can be to check it. It would have been immensely more profitable. Knowing the Senate, he should have foreseen that the Hanihara letter would be construed not as it was meant but as it can be made to seem. It was precisely Mr. Hughes' job as Secretary of State to foresee the attitude of the Senate, if necessary by showing the letter privately to some Senators first. Having foreseen the attitude of the Senate, it was his business either to withhold the letter or to point out to the Japanese Ambassador how the letter was likely to be misunderstood and to request an amendment.

This is the ordinary business of diplomacy. Things of this sort are done every day by competent Foreign Secretaries, and Mr. Hughes bears an extraordinary personal responsibility for having bungled into a crisis which threatens to impair the improved relations between Japan and the United States. It is an error which Mr. Hughes can only partially make good by bringing all his influence to bear in favor of a veto of the exclusion act.

Creating dragons on your many sides With little golden beetles here and there? The colors burned into your smooth, fine clay Again and yet again till you emerge A lovely little Chinese bowl!

MARGA ET D. BOSWELL.



Hippocampus

STATE KONVENTION KOSTUME

JUST A MINUTE

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Written for the Post-Dispatch By CLARK McADAMS

MRS. SAAL'S lawyer asks for a new trial upon the ground that quoting the scriptures to a religious St. Charles County jury constituted a strong intimation that the case had been pre-judged by God and therefore left nothing for the jury to do but admit that God knows best. Whether the jury was put into this hole or not is, of course, something about; but if the lawyer for the defendant knows the people of St. Charles County as he thinks he does, we dare say the quotations from scripture were prejudicial to entire originality in the verdict. Of quotations from "Psalms and Psalms" used by Mrs. Saal's lawyer, or anything used by either side for the purpose of relieving the jury of the grave responsibility of saying what should be done in a case like this, otherwise there should have been no jury and the lawyers merely should have filed briefs of quotations sufficiently reflecting the riches of law libraries in St. Charles from which the Court could determine whether Omar Khayyam, Solomon, Maeterlinck or any one or all of a dozen men long ago answered this question.

RED LIGHT ORDINANCE.

Colonel Miller. Don't you know. 'Twixt the twilight hours and dawn, You must always fasten on A red light at the horse's tiller? It's an ordinance, Colonel Miller.

H. A. W.

The Western Union has defied the Daugherty committee, which gives us an opportunity to decide whether it is the Union or the Western Union we want forever.

Persia wants the League of Nations to save her from being divided into two economic parts by the Russians and the British, which ought to dispose the League's enemies in kindness toward it as a continuous police court into which all sorts of bullies can be brought for judgment. We don't suppose for a moment that the League can stop the partition of Persia, but public opinion through the League can.

No Dumping By Order of Park Commissioner. There are about 20 old used cars on the lot. What about it, Mr. Park Commissioner?

TO A LITTLE CHINESE BOWL.

QUAINT in shape, the color of red lacquer, With golden dragons painted on its sides, A fat gold beetle lying peacefully Upon the bottom of the shallow bowl. What patient Chinese fingers molded you, With loving care and pride of craft within, Joying in work well done; giving the best Of patient skill, attention to detail— The brush poised carefully before each stroke.

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SUNSET.

T ONIGHT I long for peace, The turmoil of the days and years, The joys, the sorrows, hopes and fears, Are dead, and dry are human tears, Tonight I long for peace.

Tonight I long for rest, The day has closed its eyes in sleep While mortals laugh and dance and weep, But I—long for rest.

Tonight I long for peace, The leaf once green, then gold, then brown, On autumn breeze sails gently down, Tonight I long for peace.

The labors long ago begun And carried through the years, are done, As rests in western hills the sun, Tonight I long for rest.

JOE ALBERT.

John F. Scott, rector of St. John's Church, Providence, R. I., feels that the war between the churches can best be stilled by humor. The following is an excerpt from "The Heresy Trial," which he contributes to the current Century.

The trial had already begun when Alice and the Preacher-bird arrived. The prisoner, with a handkerchief tied over his mouth, was standing before the Judge. The Prosecuting Attorney, whom Alice recognized as one of the men who had shouted at her as she entered the Cave of Controversy, was reading the charges.

"Item IV. The prisoner is accused of claiming and practicing the right to think for himself."

"Enough! Enough!" cried the Judge, jumping up and tearing at his hair. "We need no more. Gentlemen of the jury, turning to the learned doctors, 'consider your verdict.'"

"But I protest, your Honor," cried the defendant's lawyer. "The prisoner should be allowed to speak for himself, to answer the charges."

"They need no answer from him," said the Judge. "That handkerchief must not be removed; there's no telling what he might say in our presence. Let it be thoroughly understood that a man in his position may feel for himself and hear for himself; he may eat and even die for himself, but it is forbidden him to think and speak for himself. I sentence the prisoner to a public scourging at the whipping-post in the outer court until he shall consciously repeat the creed."

It was all done to music, the "executions" and the prisoner singing alternate verses of a disciplinary hymn, and the crowd joining in on the chorus, while the time was marked by the whip-cracks on the victim's back. This was the hymn: Executions.

"The Bible is infallible, which you must not deny. Adam named the animals, and Enoch did not die. Take care you do not change it, for that would surely breed confusion. Distrust of our authority! Now, won't you say the creed?"

Will you, won't you, will you, won't you, won't you say the creed? Will you, won't you, will you, won't you say the creed?

Maybe he is right, but unless we mistake, his judges, this will be very far from a laughing matter when they see it.

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

THOUGHT FOR THE NEW WOMAN.

Clemence Dane (Winifred Ashton) in World's Work for April.

WOMAN has demanded the vote and all that it implies. Man has ceded it. But what does it imply? Woman began 10 years or so ago to claim the right to support herself to be a breadwinner. Man grumbled, but gave in. But now the tables have turned.

It seems to me that man has made a very good bargain. Woman has been given the privilege of doing a man's job as well as her own, has been graciously accorded the permission to work herself to death. She doesn't grumble; she is only too hard and ready and eager to work herself to death, for woman has always been a fool where her physical capacity is concerned. She resents being told that she can't do everything that a man can. She can't see that it is not meant as an insult. She has never learned, never will learn, that thought the spirit in which the flesh is weak, and that woman's problem always has been and always will be—her health. Suppose she said to herself, this stronger, weaker half of the human race—"I cannot keep this up. This artificial modern life of the great cities, this whirl and rush and bustle, this nightmare of bad air and slums and dirt and traffic and overcrowding, this necessity for incessant traveling, for incessant talking, this incessant contact at close quarters with millions of neighbors, is too much for me. I cannot stand it." Suppose instead of acquiescing in the artificial civilization of today, she, a half of the human race, should set to work to impose upon the other half a civilization of her own! Are her ideals always to be imitation ones? The right to earn her bread and toll in the cities as the men toll, bearing children in her spare time, is that to be the end of all things? Who knows? But one thing I know: that if we are to continue having life with our fellow men without regard to the difference in sex, we shall have to alter fundamentally our conceptions of what that life should be.

DOLLAR DIPLOMACY.

SENATOR SHIPSTEAD in the Congressional Record.

I DO not like the idea that has been so often reiterated that the "American flag follows the dollar," because that implies that the dollar controls the flag, that the owner of the dollar will then control our foreign policy. I would rather have it said that the "American flag follows American principles and American ideals," and that we see to it that these principles and ideals are of such a character that an American need not be ashamed to have his flag follow them.

But the dollar has controlled our foreign policy for some time, and the American flag has followed the dollar into Haiti, Santo Domingo, Honduras, Mexico and France. There is an ever-increasing number of people in America, however, who are beginning to realize that the American dollar represents the crystallized sweat of American labor. Therefore they are very much concerned as to where these American dollars, wrung by toil out of the bodies of the American people, are going, and for what purpose they are being used.

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ASSERTS EMPLOYERS DO NOT FIX WAGES

Professor Dyer Explains Economic Issues Now Confronted by Labor in America.

There is nothing strange about the low value of common labor. It is cheap because there is so much of it. So it is with skilled labor—school teachers, too. Nothing is more common than to find the school board about to want to raise wages. The value is never determined by the scarcity of a thing—only by the enormous law of supply and demand.

Thus spoke Dr. Gus W. Dyer, professor of economics at the University of the Industrial Merchants and Manufacturers' Association, at the St. Louis Club.

It is commonly believed that employers arbitrarily fix wages. Dr. Dyer remarked, "Even many employers think they do. But employers can't fix wages. If they pay \$2 a day they get \$2 men; if they pay \$1 they get \$1 men."

Explains Self-Government. The American theory of self-government is this: "Give every man freedom to work anywhere he wants work; freedom to sell his labor or commodity on any market; freedom to buy the labor or commodity he wants. Restrictions against freedom are always wrong; the only justifiable restrictions are in the interest of freedom."

"American industrial life is lagging under a double standard," he asserted. "One group of people, of which the farmers and school teachers are part, are working under the American plan, making under the law of supply and demand."

The other group, under the socialist theory, which is all wrong, want their pay fixed by the 'needs' of the individual man. How much does a man need? Fix it today and he will need more tomorrow."

The socialist theory will destroy our whole machinery of distribution—our whole industrial system. It is unfair, robbing one class so that another may have its so-called 'needs'.

Man and Wife Partners. "Do you know it is a new theory that a man should make enough to support his family? Under the old regime on the farm the man and wife were partners. The wife contributed almost as much as the man did. Every child was an economic asset. Then came the great revolution in the industrial life of the world—the abolishing of all productive activities in the home. The support of the family was thrown to the man and with it came luxuries. The man gets shorter hours, higher wages."

"The average man, soon finds his 'needs' ahead of his income. He jumps on the system. 'I can't live this way unless I get more money,' he pleads."

"The man must adjust himself to the new conditions he has made himself. I think because these problems have arisen the system is wrong and we must destroy it. Not a bit. There is nothing wrong with the system—there is no possible improvement in the old American theory of industrial life."

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THAW STILL 'PERIL,' FOUR ALIENISTS SAY

They Declare It Would Be
Unsafe to Release Him From
State Hospital.

PHILADELPHIA, April 13.—That Harry K. Thaw is still of unsound mind and that the release of him is unsafe to have him released, was the testimony of four alienists called to the stand late yesterday by attorneys opposing the release of Stanford White's slayer from the Pennsylvania Hospital for Mental and Nervous Diseases.

Legal strategy that left the courtroom temporarily breathless marked the appearance earlier in the day on the witness stand of Thaw, in the jury trial to determine his sanity.

With unexpected suddenness, former Judge John M. Patterson, counsel for Thaw, asked him a few perfunctory questions, which Thaw answered briefly, and then said to opposing counsel, "Gentlemen, examine him."

Arthur C. Dickson, attorney for the trustees of the Thaw estate, and William A. Gray, counsel for Evelyn Nesbit, divorced wife of Thaw, whose 12-year-old son has intervened in the case, seemed surprised. After a hasty conference with alienists on their side, Dickson said, "We have no questions to ask."

Patterson then rested his case, with reservation of the right to call Mrs. Mary C. Thaw, Thaw's 52-year-old mother, later.

At the afternoon session of court, Thaw was asked, "Do you have to consider the six years he had had Thaw under observation he had not seen anything to indicate insanity."

"Is a psychopomp necessarily insane?" he was asked. "No," was the reply. Bond asked that during the six years he had had Thaw under observation he had not seen anything to indicate insanity.

Unsafe to Release Him. "In your opinion, has he or has he not been restored to a sound state of mind?" queried Dickson. "I do not think he has," Bond said.

In response to another question, the alienist stated he "would not consider it safe" to have Thaw released. He also revealed that the hospital had already asked that Thaw be transferred to another institution.

Thaw took notes on a pad as Bond testified.

"I consider the exact condition of Thaw do you have to consider his previous life before he was admitted to the hospital?" Dickson asked the witness. "Yes," Bond replied.

Patterson, cross-examining, asked:

"Because of hearsay evidence that you would not let this man leave the hospital?"

"I would not say 'hearsay' evidence," Bond answered, "because the acts he committed resulted in his being sent to the hospital. I should not commit Thaw to a hospital for the insane on this evidence. I have gathered from his life during the past seven years, but I would commit him to a hospital on the record of his entire life."

Alleged Cruelty When a Child. An incident of alleged cruelty when Thaw was 15 years old was related by Dr. Hobart A. Hare, professor of therapeutics and diagnosis at Jefferson Medical College, another witness, who termed Thaw "morally insane."

Hare stated that he first met Thaw in 1886 on a steamship bound from New York to Antwerp. Some children were playing on deck, he said, and Thaw came along and deliberately stepped on one child's fingers, smiling as if amused when the child screamed in pain.

"I took special interest in this incident as a child of mine was playing on the deck, also," Hare added.

The alienist told of two visits to examine Thaw at the asylum on March 28 and April 3 last. He stated that Thaw's "secretary"—"Mr. Rice," insisted on remaining in the room, and smoked during the examination.

"When I asked Thaw one question that seemed to cause annoyance, Rice sent up clouds of smoke even more rapidly, and, as though responding to a signal, Thaw refused to talk further," Hare asserted.

"Did you ask Thaw about the killing of Stanford White?" Dickson asked.

"I did. He evaded the question," was the reply. "I asked him if the same conditions were present would he do the same thing over again."

Hare declared that, should Thaw be liberated, "he will do the same thing all over again—practically every evil that has been testified to in court."

Mental Improvement Slight. Dr. Daniel H. Fuller, in charge of the men's department at the asylum, followed Hare on the stand, testifying that although Thaw had shown great physical improvement since being committed to the asylum, his mental improvement was "very little."

He stated as his opinion that Thaw was "of unsound mind" and that he was unable to administer his affairs if released.

Dr. S. Dewitt Ludlum, physician at the Friends' Asylum, Philadelphia, declared Thaw of "unsound mind" and that if he were released "there would be a repetition of things that have happened."

Thaw Near to Collapse. Thaw was so set for a fight when he took the stand that when it failed to develop, he came close to collapse, but Patterson, his chief trial

attorney, was watching his client and got him quickly off the stand. Stanford White's slayer was obviously tensed for battle when he came to the stand. He perspired freely all through his brief time in the witness chair. He spoke in very low tones. When it was all over he slumped low in his seat and could hardly get back to his place at the counsel table.

Patterson motioned him to step down, but Thaw walked like a child afraid of his footing, and as he passed his attorney's chair stumbled over nothing and nearly fell. Patterson seized him around the waist and supported him a moment. Then he was able to regain his place.

Failure of Dickson and Gray to cross-examine Thaw appeared to

puzzle Patterson. It has been freely presumed that Gray, a noted cross-examiner, had been brought into the case for the purpose of breaking down Thaw's claim to sanity by a grilling and prolonged interrogation.

But the lawyers explained that Gray's opportunity is not yet lost. Thaw is the petitioner and the trustees of his estate are named among his opponents. Consequently, they have the right to recall Thaw to the stand during presentation of their own case. It was suggested that the opposition counsel had decided to test Thaw's powers of endurance by holding the examination over him for several days.

Judge Monaghan adjourned court to Monday, on account of the Easter holidays.

SAYS MARR TOLD HIM STOCK SALES REACHED \$60,000 A DAY

Witness Testifies Oil Shares Started at \$10 and Finally Declined to 65 Cents.

By the Associated Press.
TEXARKANA, Ark., April 13.—Pat Marr, famous Smackover and Eldorado promoter, at one time was receiving approximately \$60,000 a day from the sale of stock in his company, he told A. B. Priest, Fort Worth stock broker, the latter testified at the trial of the promoter and his codefendants for misuse of the mails yesterday.

"I went to Eldorado to see Marr about selling some of his stock,"

Priest said, "and Marr told me at that time he was receiving approximately \$40,000 per day." Priest said that he obtained 450 shares of Marr's stock to sell. He started out asking \$10 a share, the par value. That was in January, 1923. But in July, he said, the stock had declined \$3 a share and at present it was only worth approximately 65 cents a share.

Deputy Circuit Clerk Admitted to Bar.

Harry W. Sherman, chief deputy in the office of the Circuit Clerk, yesterday was enrolled as a member of the bar by order of Circuit Judge Hall. Sherman passed the State bar examination last week after completing a law course at Benton College of Law.

BEAUTY PAGEANT CONDEMNED

Annual Contest at Atlantic City Denounced by Y. W. C. A.

TRENTON, N. J., April 13.—A resolution condemning the annual Bathing Beauties' Contest at Atlantic City has been passed by the Trenton Young Women's Christian Association. Copies of the resolution have been sent to 75 branches of the organization with the request that delegates attend the national convention of the organization with instructions to act.

"The board has felt for a long time that such contests are in every way harmful," says the letter. "The notoriety is unsettling, the girls are exposed to grave dangers from unscrupulous persons, and the

shocking costumes which such contests encourage certainly call for protests from organizations interested in girl welfare."

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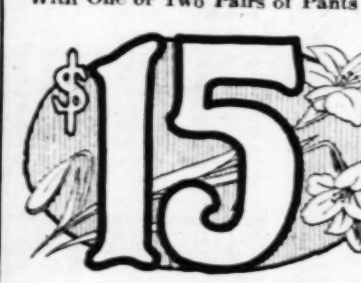
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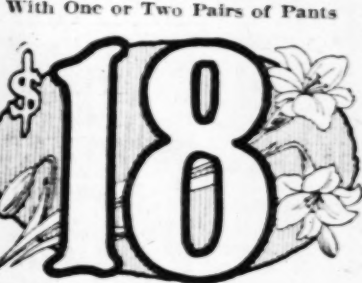
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Wife of Wealthy Tulsa Man, Seeking Divorce, Beaten by Married Couple.

O. D. V. Course Described

By the Associated Press.

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Y. M. C. A. WORKER'S
IMPRESSIONS OF ITALY

O. D. Wannamaker Defends
Course of Mussolini and
Describes Rise of Fascism.

Olin D. Wannamaker, addressing the Contemporary Club dinner at the Forest Park Hotel last night on "Italy Today," predicted that Premier Mussolini would prove hereafter to be less reactionary than he has been made to appear.

"Necessarily, in establishing order after the chaotic condition into which Italy had fallen, Mussolini has used the strong arm," the speaker said. "But he has told capitalists plainly that if they think he is playing their game, they will find themselves gravely in error. Mussolini was a radical Socialist a few years ago, and he has not changed his way of thinking suddenly. He broke with Socialists on the war issue, but not on industrial issues. Now that the late general election has given the Fascisti a large majority, and his regime is secure, we may look for developments of interests to the workingman everywhere."

"Mussolini caused the discharge of useless workers on the Government railways, but he knows the power and sympathizes with the aims of the intelligent, highly skilled labor of his nation. The high character of Italian workmanship is not realized in this country so well as it is in England. There, they have a saying that British industry and Italian intelligence, if they could be fused, would rule the world of manufacture."

Wannamaker, who was in Y. M. C. work in Italy during and after the war, explained and defended the political course of Italy, and described the rise of Fascism. He told incidentally of the Princeton-Pekin welfare and educational work, of which he is a director. He formerly was head of the Canton Christian College in China. The Pekin work is now officially affiliated with Princeton University.

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INDIAN RADICALS ASSAIL
BRITISH LABORITES' POLICY

Natives Downcast Over England's Failure to Send Grievance Commission for Conference.

BOMBAY, April 18.—Great disappointment is expressed by the native newspapers over the debate on India in the British House of Commons Tuesday. The moderates are particularly downcast today over the Government's rejection of the proposal that a commission be sent to India to inquire into the native grievances, and arrange a plan as to how far they could be met.

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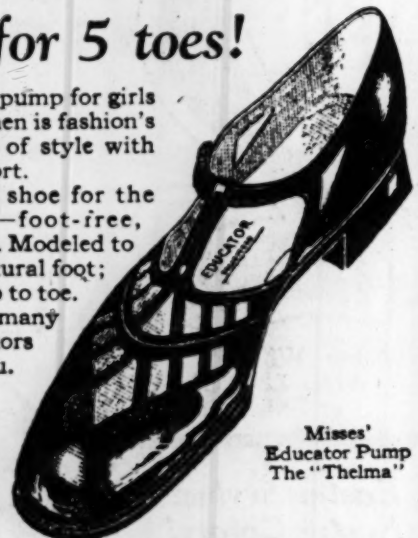
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The first clays I used were crude
and muddy, as many clays are still.
But they multiplied my beauty. The
clay I now use has been perfected
by 20 years of scientific study. It
is white, refined and dainty. The
results it brings are amazing, com-
pared with old-type clays.
Now, after 40 years as a stage
star, I still look a girl of 19.
Every woman's duty
The use of clay is every woman's
duty to herself. No girl can look
her best without it, no woman can
keep her youth.
Look about you. Note the won-
derful complexion due to clay. The
mothers who look like daughters.
Clay purges the skin of all that
clogs it—the cause of sallowness,
blackheads and blemishes. It brings
the blood to the skin to nourish and

CITY WANTS VALUE OF PHONE PROPERTIES

Asks Permission to File Peti-
tion for Audit Before Rate
Increase Is Granted.

By the Jefferson City Correspond-
ent of the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April
18.—The City of St. Louis today
asked the State Public Service
Commission for leave to file an
intervening petition seeking an
audit and valuation of the prop-
erties of the Southwestern Bell Tel-
ephone Co. in St. Louis before any
rate increase is granted to that
company.

As is known, the Southwestern
Bell Company recently indicated
that it would seek a rate increase
in St. Louis within the next six
months on the ground of increased
expense due to the merger of the
Kinloch system with the Bell, now
in progress. Thus far the com-
pany has not filed a formal ap-
plication for the increased rates.

The request on behalf of the city
was filed by City Counselor Senti
and Associated City Counselor Lo-
han. They asserted the present
telephone rates charged in St. Louis
are adequate to provide a fair re-
turn on the properties of the South-
western Bell Company. The com-
mission has not ruled on the ap-
plication. The application by the city
indicated that strong opposition
would be raised to any advance in
the telephone rates, and that the
city would present evidence before
the commission if such an increase
is sought.

An audit and valuation of the
telephone properties by the Pub-
lic Service Commission was urged
in the city application, as a pre-
liminary step by the commission
before considering any motion or
request of the Southwestern Bell
Telephone Co. for an increase in
rates. An indefinite extension of
the prevailing telephone rates in
St. Louis was granted by the com-
mission on March 23, last, pending
further order. The commission has
indicated that its policy will be to
consider no rate increases until
the merger of the two telephone
systems is completed in St. Louis.
It is expected the work will be
completed this fall.

In seeking the extension of the
present rates, attorneys for the
telephone company stated to the
commission that the present rates
"are not now and in the future
cannot possibly be compensatory
nor afford a fair return upon the
properties."

It was declared the next six
months would show a heavy in-
crease in expenses of operation,
with "only insignificant increases"
in revenue. No indication was
given as to how large a rate in-
crease would be sought.
To Investigate Medical College.
By the Associated Press.
BOSTON, April 18.—Attorney-
General Jay R. Benton announced
today that he will begin an im-
mediate investigation of the Mid-
dsex College of Medicine and
Surgery, Cambridge, upon request
of the State Board of Registration.
The board complains that the col-
lege offers in its prospectus a
course in eclectic practice, which is
not recognized by the national
eclectic society. The Massachusetts
Medical Society has several times
attacked the Cambridge institution,
and legislative attempts have been
made to close it. Officers of the
college denied that their's was the
institution frequently referred to
during the investigation of the
Connecticut and Missouri "diploma
mills" last year.

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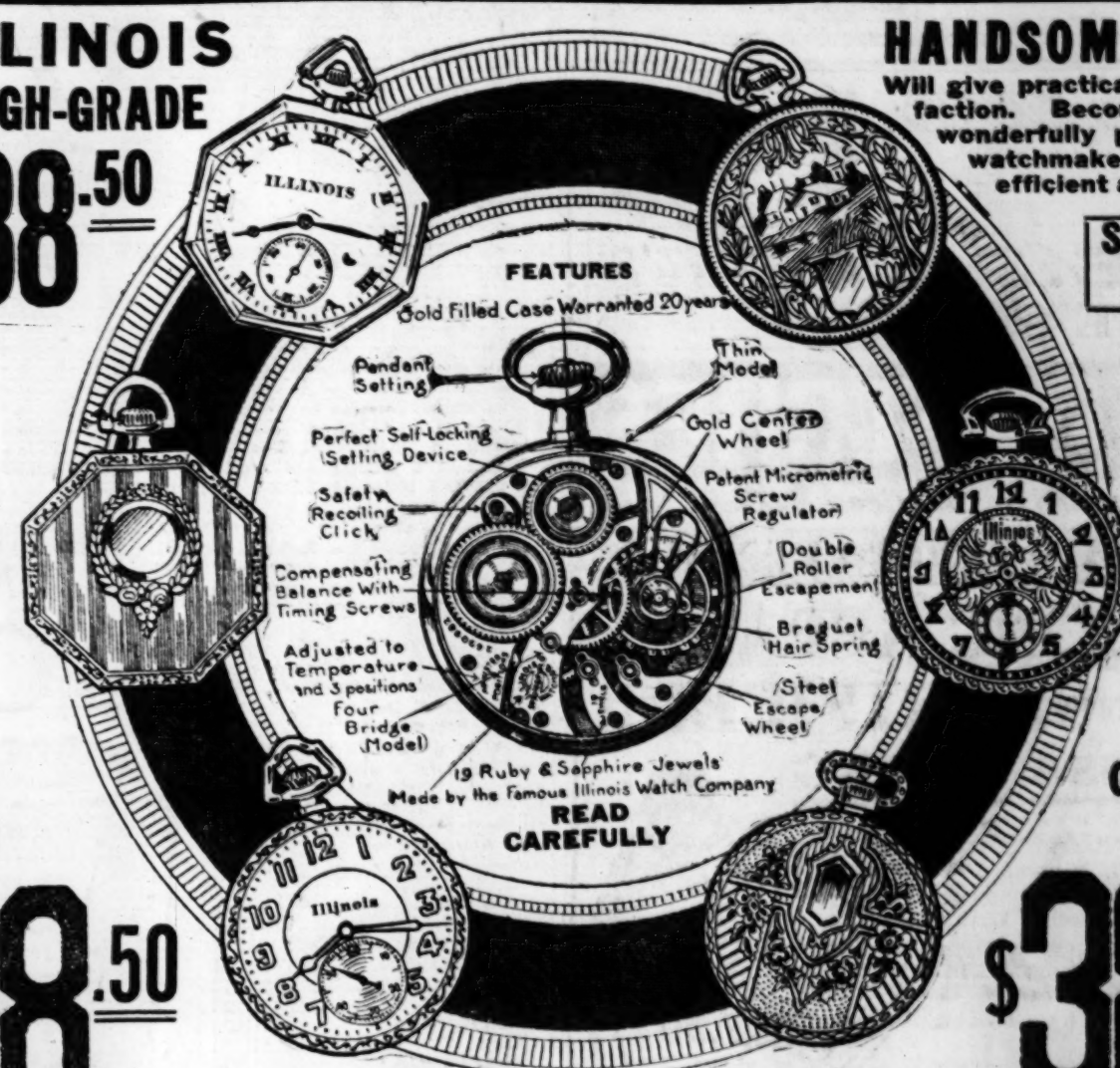
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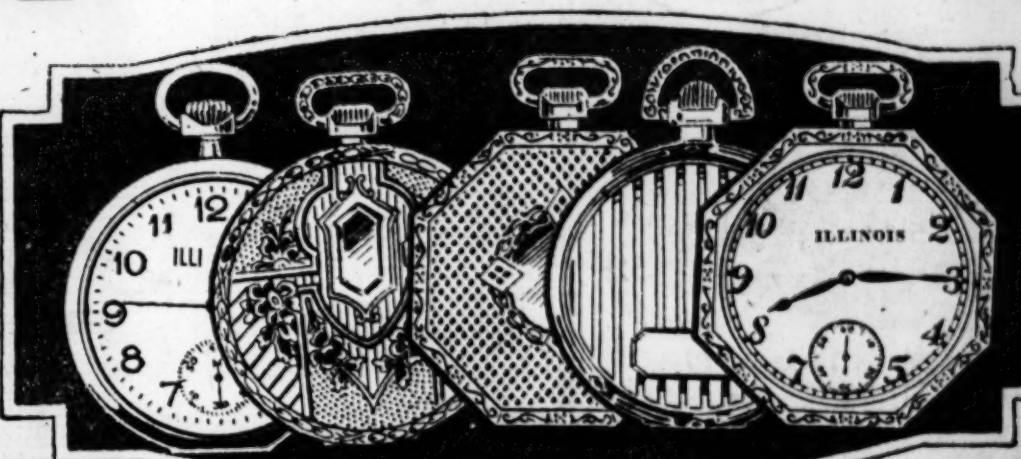
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Millionaire Clerks in Store Where He Got His Start

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POST-DISPATCH
It Sets the Pace!

TEXAS FAMILY HAS GIVEN 113 YEARS IN TEACHING

G. A. Sterling of La Grange Heads the List With 43 Years to

His Credit.

LA GRANGE, Tex.—G. A. Sterling of this place and his family have given 113 years of public school service to the State of Texas. Prof. Sterling has devoted almost two-thirds of his 75 years to the cause of public education in this State. Nineteen years as teacher in Washington, Bastrop, Lee, Austin and Fayette counties, and 24 years as County School Superintendent of Fayette County, totaling 43 years of school service, have been given to the State of his adoption.

Besides this, he has five sons in school work. John L., the eldest, taught for a period of 24 years; H. F., six years; C. V., six years; W. R., nine years; Mrs. W. R. (daughter-in-law), nine years; Miss Lester Sterling (granddaughter), four years, and Mrs. G. A. Sterling, two years.

The infirmities of age have compelled Sterling to retire to private life, but he has not lost interest in school affairs. He was not physically able to attend the last two teachers' institutions of the county. The teachers, to show their appreciation of his services as former County Superintendent, presented him with an easy chair, accompanied by just as many cards of greeting as there were teachers in attendance at the institute.

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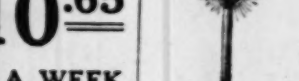
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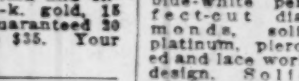
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You are indeed fortunate if you postponed the purchase of your new Easter Coat until the last day. We are featuring a group of new arrivals for Saturday that have never been displayed before. Take your choice on payments at

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All of the tremendous facilities of our gigantic organization are pointed toward one end—to serve everyone courteously, efficiently and promptly, and take care of your every Easter requirement.

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This new shipment insures you of the season's latest styles and last minute modes. Under ordinary circumstances you could not even hope to have complete selection on the last day before Easter. A special purchase gives you these values on credit at—

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Easter Special 2-Pant Suits

Every desired model and color to choose from. All hand-tailored, all-wool two-pant Suits on payments for

\$29.75

Buy On Payments

\$1 opens your account—take 20 weeks in which to pay for your purchase after Easter. Make your selections Saturday—your last opportunity in which to do Easter shopping.

Very New Topcoats

Let us assist you in selecting a new Topcoat for Easter Saturday. Dozens of new styles and colors to choose from on payments at

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FOOD PRICES DROPPED 2 PER CENT DURING MARCH

Decrease in St. Louis Was the Average for Entire Country, Labor Department Reports.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Decrease in food prices during March, 1936, was 2 per cent, the average family expenditure for food decreased 2 per cent, the Labor Department of the United States today disclosed.

The decrease for the entire country was 2 per cent, however, food prices in St. Louis increased 2 per cent, whereas the increase for the country was only 1 per cent. As compared with the average of food in 1935, food in March, 1936, was 45 per cent higher in St. Louis. In two cities, Chicago and Kansas City, the increase was 52 per cent. The average increase for all the cities supplying statistics was 48 per cent.

The decline in prices in March was due largely to the drop in eggs, it is said. During that period 16 articles on which the average prices are received decreased as follows:

Strictly fresh eggs, 30 per cent; butter and oranges, 4 per cent; hard, 3 per cent; cheese and onions, 2 per cent; bacon, ham, fresh, 2 per cent; milk, macaroni, rice, navy beans, beans and raisins, 1 per cent; and canned salmon and nut margarine less than five-tenths of one per cent.

A 4 per cent drop in farm product prices as a whole for March from the preceding month was attributed to declines in cotton seed, eggs, hides, wheat, oats, rye, potatoes and tobacco.

10,000,000 Pounds of Weevil Poison Special in the Post-Dispatch. ATLANTA, Ga.—Approximately 10,000,000 pounds of calcium arsenate, for use in the cotton fields of the State in the fight against the boll weevil, have been brought into Georgia since November last, under the law providing a revolving fund for purchase of this weevil poison for the benefit of the farmers of the State, according to Ira S. Williams, member of the State Board.

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HOME OF BUFFALO DRY
CRUSADER BOMBED

Pastor and Family Absent, but
He Intended Spending
Night There.

By the Associated Press.
BUFFALO, N. Y., April 13.—
The Rev. L. E. H. Smith, pastor of
the Ontario United Presbyterian
Church and dry crusader for Buf-
falo churches, escaped by a few
minutes a bomb explosion that
wrecked his home in Gallatin ave-
nue, Black Rock, shortly after
midnight.

The Smith family was also ab-
sent. A series of threatening let-
ters had caused them to abandon
temporarily the house and for more
than a week they had been living
with neighbors.

The pastor returned to his home
several days ago. He was on the
point of leaving his office at the
Ontario church last night when a
telephone call informed him that
his home had been wrecked. Had
the explosion occurred a few
minutes, the Rev. Mr. Smith said,
he would have been on the pre-
mise, as he had intended sleeping
there.

The vestibule of the Smith home
was blown back into the living
room. Houses adjoining were dam-
aged and occupants sleeping in
front rooms were showered with
broken glass.

Two anonymous letters received
by the Rev. Mr. Smith had set
April 13 as his "last day." On one
occasion, he said, he had gone to
a place named in one of the letters
at a time appointed. Two men
were there, but they walked away.

Evidence collected by the pastor
has been the basis of several dry
raids by Federal agents and the
minister himself has taken part in
many raids. The anonymous let-
ters, he said, had followed soon
after his activities became known.

In a recent controversy between
the Rev. Mr. Smith and Mayor
Schwab, the Mayor charged the
pastor with being a member of the
Ku Klux Klan. The minister de-
clined to affirm or deny the asser-
tion. The Buffalo newspapers re-
ceived a letter the next day, pur-
porting to come from the Klan,
saying that Mr. Smith was not a
member, but that his work was in-
fluenced by the Klan. Mayor Schwab
charged that Rev. Mr. Smith had
been leader of a group of hooded
men who, he said, interrupted a
meeting which the Mayor was ad-
dressing.

JAIL "SLUM" DIET FOR
SIDESHOW FIRE-EATER

"Prince Alpha," Sometimes a
Teamster, Accused of Forging
Three Checks.

The diet of "Prince Alpha," fire
eater in a sideshow on South
Broadway, was changed to jail
"slum" today when he was arrested
on a charge of forgery and placed
in Clayton Jail.

"Prince Alpha," who says his fa-
ther is an Indian and his mother
an Irishwoman, and whose profes-
sion has been teaming when not
setting fire, is alleged to have
forged three checks amounting to
\$150 while employed as a teamster
by W. A. Wallach at Eureka.

His case has been set for hearing
April 24 before Justice Titman at
Eureka.

GERHART QUILTS BOND
MEETING AS PROTEST

Protests Against Registering
Absent Member as Present
by Telephone.

Frank H. Gerhart, who delights
in being a sort of one-man bureau
of municipal research, took indig-
nant exception to a proceeding yes-
terday by the Citizens' Supervisory
Bond Issue Committee and stalked
out of the meeting.

There were only eight members
present when it was time to meet,
whereas nine constitute a quorum.
There was no business to transact
except to refer two proposed or-
dinances, appropriating \$140,000
for a school building at the Train-
ing School for the Feeble Minded
and \$90,000 for a dormitory for
employees there, to a subcommittee.

It was decided to get some absent
member to agree over the tele-
phone to be counted as present.
Gerhart said nothing. Several mem-
bers could not be reached. David
Kreppel, secretary of Central
Trades & Labor Union, would not
agree to the proposal, for fear of
setting a bad precedent. P. J.
Morrin, general president of the
Structural Ironworkers' Union,
agreed.

The roll was called and at the
mention of Morrin's name Chair-
man W. Frank Carter said, "Mr.
Morrin answers here." Minutes of
a previous meeting were read.
Then Gerhart arose. "Mr. Chair-
man," said he, "I wish to enter a
solemn protest against this sum-
mary proceeding." He took his
seat. "Let the minutes show," said
Carter, "that Mr. Gerhart protesta."
The committee proceeded to refer
the ordinances to the Public Wel-
fare Subcommittee, while Gerhart
made his silent departure. Then it
adjourned.

Carter explained afterwards that
delay in getting the ordinances un-
der way would increase the interest
charges on the money involved. A
member suggested that Gerhart's
complaint might have been due to
the approval of the minutes when
Morrin had been told the only busi-
ness would be the reference of the
ordinances.

GYPSIES "PALM" \$371 TO SAVE
HUSBAND FROM BEING KILLED

Wife of Grocer Gives Money to Al-
leged Clairvoyant Who Make
Good Their Escape.

She loves her husband, does Mrs.
Kate Swiatek, and she was worried
when two gypsy women told her to-
day that they had information
three men intended to kill her hus-
band. The only way the murder
could be forestalled, the gypsies
said, was for Mrs. Swiatek to let
them hold all her money while they
prayed.

Mrs. Swiatek said she had only
\$371, but the gypsy women assured
her this would be sufficient. She
handed them the money and they
prayed, hard and audibly. All this
took place in Swiatek's grocery at
2417 Edwardsville road, on the
outskirts of Granite City, and dur-
ing his absence.

When the prayers ceased, the
gypsy women walked out of the
store with the \$371. Mrs. Swiatek
followed, but could not overtake
them. Her walk then took her to
the police station, where she swore
out "John Doe" warrants against
the gypsies.

There isn't a retailer who can sell you
clothing as good as a manufacturer can—
at an equally low price

We're Ready
for the Last
Minute Rush

Extra preparations have been
made to assure you the best
service that is humanly possible
even to the very late buyers—
so you can rest assured if your
Bond suit or topcoat is promised
for Easter you will have it on
time.

Because we sell every garment produced in our three
great tailor plants *direct* to the wearer—because we control every operation
from the buying of the wools to the finishing of the garment—we believe our
prices are \$10.00 to \$20.00 lower than those in the ordinary retail stores.

It is a simple matter for a merchant to make a state-
ment—but it is hard sometimes for him to prove it—so now that we have made
this positive assertion, we put it squarely up to you to *try* it. *Comparison* is still
Bond's *best* salesman—convincing yourself is far better than allowing anyone else
to convince you. So when you set out to buy your new Easter clothes look where
you will—you'll do like hundreds of thousands have done—come to Bond's to buy.

for Easter --- for Everyday

Scientifically Tailored from America's Finest Wools

Bond's One and 2-Pants Suits

We can afford to sell for less
because it costs us less to sell

When you buy at Bond's—you buy *direct* from the maker. We *eliminate*
the middleman and you keep in your pocket what he would ordinarily take as profit.
We have no charge accounts—we sell for *cash* only—in that way you are not asked
to pay for the fellow who forgets to pay. Fact of the matter, Bond's tailored clothes
come *direct* to you at practically the wholesale price.

Don't imagine, however, that Bond's tailored clothes are *cheap*—they're not.
We wouldn't advertise about *cheap* clothes. We know *better* than that. Buy them be-
cause they are *dependable* and because there's no earthly reason to pay more than
Bond's prices for your clothes.

A Bond Topcoat for Easter

Bond's "toppers" are all-weather coats—built on entirely
new lines this Spring. As you like them—loose and very
much English.

—also the fa-
mous Bond
weatherproof
Gabardines—
they're beau-
tifully silk or sa-
tin trimmed.

Better Get Your
Early—They're
Going Fast.
\$25



Silk Lined
Tuxedos
For Easter
and All
Formal
Affairs
\$27.50

Weatherproof
Gabardines

A raincoat in wet
days and a topcoat in
sunshiny days. Spring
weather demands you
get one—do it to-
day—or Saturday.

\$19

See Bond's wonder values in
Bond's Junior Clothes for boys
from 7 to 20.

All Men Like Them
Bond's Blue Beauty
All-Wool
Blue Serge Suits

What can be more appro-
priate for Easter than one of
these wonder value Blue
Serge Suits?

All Sizes
to Fit
Men of
Every
Proportion
\$25
Extra Pants
to Match
Can Be Had
for \$5.00

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Continuing Our Big Paint Sale!

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be bought for less than \$2.50 a gallon. Our
price, of colors on hand, per gallon.

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Brush, set in rubber, &
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FREE STATE FACES
DIFFICULT DIVORCE PROBLEM

Committee Appointed on
Method of Legalizing
Dissolutions.

By the Associated Press.
COLUMBIA, Mo., April 13.—The
Free State Government has a difficult
divorce problem on its hands and
has appointed a joint committee of
the House and the Senate to eluci-
date it.

Divorce never has existed in Ire-
land. The most the courts could
do was judicial separation, but
that was sufficient, from the
British point of view, for dis-
solution of the marriage bond. It
was possible for well-to-do people
to promote private bills in the
House of Lords completing the di-
vorce, and enabling interested par-
ties to remarry.

Since establishment of the Free
State, the House of Lords has had
no jurisdiction over citizens in the
any.

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Brand-New \$2.95
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Also lots of as-good-as-new Gabard-
Tweed, Whipcords—also Full D-
Prince Albert, Golf Suits as good as new

\$1.45—PANTS

Brand-new good Work Pants,
new, \$1.45; 3000 pairs at cut

Blue Serge Pant

Why not buy a blue serge co-
and a brand-new \$2.50 blue
you've got a dandy outfit that
good as a new suit.

COATS AND VES

Sizes up to 38 as low as \$1.95
from \$2.50 to \$6. Why not buy
vest and a nice new pants to
ter dressed for half.

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Biggest value ever heard of. D

EXTRA FINE

\$35 Dresses

\$9.95

Over 500 to select from

Fur Chokers

\$1.95 \$4.95 \$9.75

Girls' Dresses 75c
Ladies' Blouses 35c
Ladies' Blouses 65c
Silk Blouses \$1.45
Girls' Fine Coats \$2.45
Girls' Sweaters 45c
Boys' Sweaters 45c
Wash Dresses 25c
Rompers 25c
Boys' Suits \$1.95
Boys' Suits \$2.75
Boys' Suits \$4.95
Combination Dresses \$1.95
Girls' Khaki Outfits 95c
Boys' \$1.50 Pants 95c

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ing. As you like them—loose and very

Better Get Yours
Early—They're
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**FREE STATE FACES
DIFFICULT DIVORCE PROBLEM**

Committee Appointed on
Method of Legalizing
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Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and
Chicago Daily News.
(Copyright, 1924.)

COLOGNE, April 18.—People
from miles around swarmed Co-
logne yesterday to attend a uni-
versity demonstration calculated to
show radio fans what the outside
world is doing in the way of wire-
less.

Private citizens in the Rhineland
or Rhur are not permitted to own
radio sets and no cafe can give
radio concerts. These restrictions
emanate from the inter-alled high
commission and apply to every por-
tion of the occupied territory in-
cluding the British and Belgian, as
well as French zones. The Cologne
Post, a British army newspaper, re-
cently applied for an exception to
the rule and was turned down.

Galveston News 22 Years Old.
By the Associated Press.
GALVESTON, Tex.—The Galves-
ton News, Texas' oldest newspaper,
has celebrated its eighty-second an-
niversary. As a bronze tablet on
the front of the News Building pro-
claims the paper was "Established
in 1842, while Texas was a repub-
lic." The paper has been pub-
lished continuously since the date
of its founding, and is said to be
the only journal in Texas able to
trace its history back to the days
of the Texas republic. Also, of
some 18 papers published in Texas
prior to annexation, the News is
the sole survivor.

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OVERSTOCKED
OPEN UNTIL 8 P.M. EVERY NIGHT
A Deposit Holds Any Garment

Brand-New JACQUETTE	\$2.95	BRAND NEW LADIES' EMBROIDERED SERGE DRESS	\$2.95
New Misses' Coats	\$2.95	EXTRA SIZE DRESS, \$3.95	
BRAND-NEW SPORT COAT	\$3.95	BEAUTIFUL EXTRA SIZE Silk Dress	\$7.95
BRAND-NEW LADIES' SUIT	\$3.95	BRAND NEW BEADED Crepe Dress	\$7.95
BRAND-NEW LADIES' KNIT SUIT	\$1.95	New York Manufactured Sample Dresses, Coats, Suits, Capes, etc.	1/2 PRICE

\$4 to \$14 SUITS

As good as new—fine tailor-made, also such
high-grade makes as Hart Schaffner & Marx—
thousands to select from.

**BRAND-NEW WHIPCORD OR TWEED
TOPCOATS, \$9.50**

Also lots of as-good-as-new Gabardines, light Topcoats,
Tweeds, Whipcords—also Full Dress, Tuxedo, Frocks,
Prince Albert, Golf Suits as good as new at 1/2 or less of cost.

\$1.45—PANTS—\$1.45
Brand-new good Work Pants, \$1.45; Khaki Pants,
new, \$1.45; 3000 pairs at cut prices.

Blue Serge Pants \$2.90
Why not buy a blue serge coat for about \$3.50
and a brand-new \$2.90 blue serge pants and
you've got a dandy outfit that looks and wears as
good as a new suit.

COATS AND VESTS \$1.50
Sizes up to 38 as low as \$1.50. Sizes up to 44
from \$2.50 to \$6. Why not buy a good coat and
vest and a nice new pants to go with it? Be bet-
ter dressed for half.

YOUNG MEN'S BRAND-NEW SUITS \$8
Biggest value ever heard of. Dress better for half.

EXTRA FINE \$35 Dresses \$9.95
Over 500 to select from
Fur Chokers \$1.95 \$4.95 \$9.75

Girls' Dresses	75c
Ladies' Blouses	35c
Ladies' Blouses	85c
Silk Blouses	\$1.45
Girls' Fine Coats	\$2.45
Girls' Sweaters	45c
Boys' Sweaters	45c
Wash Dresses	45c
Rompers	25c
Boys' Suits	95c
Boys' Suits	\$1.95
Boys' Suits	\$3.75
Boys' Suits	\$4.95
Combination Dresses	\$1.95
Girls' Khaki Knickers	95c
Boys' \$1.50 Pants	95c

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Beautiful Blue-White
DIAMONDS
Saturday Only
A group of the greatest
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ever seen. Dainty 15-k.
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ings! Values, indeed!
PAY ONLY 5c DOWN

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FEATURE VALUE!
The Famous
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17 Jewel,
Adjusted
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Handsomely cased! Ac-
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of our greatest offers!
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**Another Amazing
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A Special Group of
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For Saturday
An unusual value for
Saturday. Dazzling fire
blue-white Diamonds—in
wonderful mountings!
Only \$37.50.
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SILVERWARE
On the Jitney Plan
The Famous Wm. Rogers
SILVERWARE
Mayfair Pattern
25 pieces! The famous
Wm. Rogers, too! Kansas-
aid! Now you can have
that silverware art that
you have wanted!
**BRING ONLY 5c
THAT IS ALL YOU NEED**

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**LA TAUSCA
PEARL
SPECIAL!**
An Unusual Feature Group
ON THE JITNEY PLAN \$10
Popular 24-inch strand—well
graduated, guaranteed for-
ever! Pay for it on the Jitney
Plan.
**Bring Only 5c—Pay for it on
Our Famous Jitney Plan**

**THE EVENT
St. Louis Is Awaiting**

All St. Louis has awaited this event!
Once a year we offer our friends
this special privilege—amazing
terms! Just imagine, you can select
from this stock of the finest
Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry in
St. Louis and pay only 5c down.
Come in Saturday—choose from
this great stock—you pay only 5c
down and the rest on our famous
Jitney Plan.

**Watches & Diamonds
Aronberg's
422 N. 6th St.
OPPOSITE COLUMBIA THEATRE**

**Saturday This Dainty
LADIES'
WRIST WATCH**
Jeweled movement, in at-
tractive white
gold filled
engraved case.
A real value!
\$19.85
PAY ONLY 5c DOWN

**An Astounding
Offer Saturday
Famous
ELGIN**
Beautiful thin med-
el-fine engraved
case. Guaranteed
movement. A real
value!
\$18.50
PAY ONLY 5c DOWN

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Aronberg's
422 N. 6th St.
OPPOSITE COLUMBIA THEATRE**

OPEN EVERY SATURDAY EVENING UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK

ORTH OF VARNISH



Johnson's Sani-Spar Varnish Stain
Johnson's Sani-Spar Varnish Stain
finishing in color where you do
to go to the trouble or expense
of the old finish. Apply it
to furniture, floors, wood-
work, all interior and exterior sur-
faces time, money, labor and ma-
terial. Johnson's Sani-Spar Varnish
gives you your color and a
glossy, durable finish. It dries
overnight.

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It will be accepted as a credit
for gallon of Johnson's Floor Var-
nish.

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8115 Chestnut St.,
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L. E. Weber Hardware,
4515 Morganfield Rd.,
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3708 S. Broadway.
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- American Hardware, Bldg. Supply &
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Wm. H. Brumfield Hardware,
5645 Manchester Av.,
John Casey Hardware,
805 Goodfellow Av.,
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5301 Easton Av.,
C. E. Smith & Co. Hardware,
5044 N. Mississippiway St.,
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6123 N. Mississippiway St.,
Fisher Hardware Co.,
5178 Easton Av.,
The Hyman Co. Hardware,
6708 Easton Av.,
Latham Hardware,
Tamm and Clayton Av.,
N. & F. Mack Hardware,
3845 Olive St.,
The Bunch Co.,
5978 Easton Av.,
Snyder Bros. Wall Paper & Tents,
4515 Easton Av.,
The Best Hardware & Variety Store,
6197 Easton Av.,
Westgate Hardware Co.,
4603 Schuchter Truck,
H. E. Willard Hardware & Tents,
3845 Olive St.
- EMERSON, ILL.
E. J. Weber Hardware,
HAWKWOOD, MO.
Chas. Wilson Hardware,
1700 Manchester Av.,
Hale Hardware Co., 3348 Gratiotwood St.
- PACIFIC, MO.
Jas. W. Long Hardware,
VENICE, ILL.
J. F. Goodrich,
WASHINGTON, MO.
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LOUIS CONCERNS UNDER BLUE SKY LAW

St. Louis, Mo., April 18.—
The St. Louis brokerage company of T. J. Forrester and P. J. Kattell, who was cited by the "blue sky law" of the State Finance Commission yesterday afternoon, to deliver stock to the company's per-
sonal securities in Missouri
Finance Commissioner B.
Kattell, said by Hurwitz to
with T. H. Forrester
occupying adjoining offices,
both citations were

made returnable here on April 22.
Hurwitz sent letters today to
both companies stating information
had been received by the Finance
Department that the two concerns
had violated the Missouri Securities
act (blue sky law) in the manner
in which they had dealt in securi-
ties.

As has been related, Circuit
Judge Frey on April 4, sentenced
Forrester to the city jail until he
obeyed a court decree directing
him to deliver 225 shares of In-
ternational Life Insurance Co.
stock to Dr. L. A. T. Meyer of Jeffer-
son City. The decree was hand-
ed down Feb. 25 last, and com-
manded the stock delivery be made
by March 19. The delivery was not
made and a contempt citation was
issued against Forrester. The con-
tempt action grew out of a suit by
Dr. Meyer to obtain possession of
stock he had purchased in deals
with Forrester. The latter stated
he had not delivered the stock be-
cause he was holding it as security
on an indebtedness. Dr. Meyer as-
serted he stood ready to pay a bal-

ance of \$7460 on the \$14,000 trans-
action, but alleged Forrester re-
fused to complete the transaction.

PLASTIC ADHESION TO RESTORE HEEL TRIED AT JOHNS HOPKINS

Unusual Operation May Cure Man Thought to Have Been Permanently Injured.

By the Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 18.—One of the rarest operations in plastic surgery in the history of Johns Hopkins Hospital was performed yesterday by William F. Reinhardt, resident surgeon, in an attempt to restore the heel of Eric Hamilton, whose foot was crushed in an elevator accident. Dr. Reinhardt announced that the operation's first stages were successful.

Tubercular condition of both bone and flesh of the heel deformed and doctors who had examined Hamilton told him he would be injured permanently.

Dr. Reinhardt, however, suggested restoring the heel by plastic adhesion. The operation provides first

for the removal of the tubercular part of the heel. Then the calf of Hamilton's other leg is bisected to the bone its entire length and the fore shortened heel inserted in this wound. Hamilton will be compelled to remain in one position from three weeks to a month, during which, if the operation is successful, the flesh of the heel and the flesh of the other leg, will grow together, giving him a new heel from the flesh of his leg.

When this adhesion process is complete another operation, separating the heel from the leg, will be performed, and Hamilton will have only the scar in the back of his leg to show for his injury, Dr. Reinhardt declares.

DRUGGIST FORCED TO TAKE HOLDUP MEN FOR RIDE

Thomas H. Chambers Succeeds in Making Escape When Road Blocks Machine.

Thomas H. Chambers, a druggist, at 401 North Euclid avenue, took two robbers for a ride in his Lincoln sedan last night, but not because he wanted their company. The exciting trip cost him nothing, however, as he succeeded in "ditching" the unwanted guests before they could do worse to him.

At 8 o'clock Chambers drove east in Portland place and made the required boulevard stop at King's highway. He was about to start up again when two men, emerging from behind the ornamental gates to Portland place, jumped on his running board and then climbed inside.

"What does this mean?" Chambers demanded.

"Nothing much," was the reply. "Just drive as we tell you or we'll blow your head off."

Seeing revolvers, Chambers drove, as ordered, into St. Louis County until, at Pennsylvania and Manchester avenues, the car was blocked by road construction work. The armed men got out to look over the situation, and Chambers decided to part company. Before they could stop him he had backed

around and started in high speed for the city.

Chambers is 36 years old, and resides at the Gatesworth Hotel.

Daniels Elected Delegate.

By the Associated Press.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 18.—After refusing to permit his name to be presented to the Democratic State convention here yesterday for the Democratic presidential nomination, Josephus Daniels, former Secretary of the Navy, was elected one of the eight delegates at large to the national convention in New York. A fight over the question of endorsing Daniels for the nomination was averted by the reading of a letter from him to the Executive Committee of the Raleigh "Daniels-for-President" Club, in which he said he "recognized the sanctity of North Carolina's primary" and therefore could not approve his endorsement by the convention. Delegates are instructed by the State primary and William G. McAdoo already has entered his name.

SPECIAL

SATURDAY BARGAINS AT BARNEY'S BIG ARMY GOODS CONSOLIDATION SALE

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Men's 50c SAT. ONLY 9c BELTS ADJUSTABLE PLATED BUCKLE

\$1 GRANITEWARE

Big 14 and 16 Quart Preserve Kettles, Stew Kettles, Saucepans.



Men's Shoes and Oxfords Stylish, Very Classy. Regular \$5 Value



- MEN'S \$5c ATHLETIC UNION SUITS; made of white crossbar material. 49c
- MEN'S \$2 FINE RIBBED UNION SUITS; white or ecru; Summer weight. \$1.39
- MEN'S \$25 STYLISH WOOL GABARDINE COATS \$14.95
- MEN'S KHAKI PANTS; brand-new; former \$2.00 value. Saturday only. \$1.00
- \$8.00 GASOLINE CAMP STOVE; in metal case; special. \$5.95
- GENUINE U. S. NAVY COT HAIR MAT-TRESS; heavy A C A ticking; brand new. \$5.95

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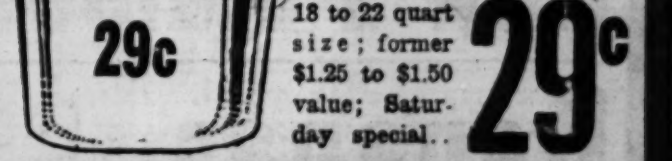
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A warrant charging a statutory
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ranges from five years' imprison-
ment to capital punishment, has
been issued against Fred Mueller,
42 years old, of 1101 South Jeff-
erson avenue, who confessed having
attacked Miss Viola Lunn, 16, of
1200A Tower Grove avenue, in
Tower Grove Park, Wednesday
night, after he had posed as a po-
liceman and lured her from a
friend's automobile.

Miss Lunn was able to go to work
today at a tobacco factory where
she has been employed since com-
ing to St. Louis from Salem, Mo.
She and a sister board at the
Tower Grove avenue address. Muel-
ler, who said he has been in charge
of an illicit still on an island in the
Mississippi River, is being held by
police.

The story told to police by Miss
Lunn and her escort, Arnon Brans-
on, 4215 Hunt avenue, was to the
effect that they were in his car in
the park when a man, later iden-
tified as Mueller, appeared and an-
nounced he was a policeman.
"Come with me—the Captain
wants you," he is said to have in-
formed Miss Lunn. He took her,
not to the nearby Magnolia Ave-
nue Police Station, but to a clump
of bushes and, with a revolver at
her head, attacked her. Police
summoned by Branson arrested
Mueller within a few minutes.

Mueller first denied, then admit-
ted the attack. He said he had
been drinking with two St. Louis
men who were agents for the illicit
whisky produced on the island, and
had gone with them to the park,
separating, however, before he
came upon the parked automobile
in which sat Branson and Miss
Lunn.

China Troops Surrender Amoy.

By the Associated Press.
AMOI, China, April 18.—A small
garrison left here by Gen. Chang
Tee-Ping has capitulated to Ad-
miral K. S. Yang and this city as
well as virtually all of Fukien
province, now is under Gen. Wu
Pei-Fu, the northern commander.
Large numbers of Gen. Chang's
troops are returning from Tongan
and are being disarmed for trans-
portation to Shanghai.

Mother and 3 Children Die in Fire.

By the Associated Press.
COPEVILLE, Tex., April 18.—
Mrs. William McShadden and
three of her children were burned
to death in a fire that destroyed
their home early today. Mrs. Mc-
Shadden was a widow.

FOOT AND MOUTH QUARANTINE

STOPS HUNDREDS OF TOURISTS

California-Arizona Desert Border
Lockade Becomes Serious as Wa-
ter Shortage Threatens Town.

By the Associated Press.
NEEDLES, Cal., April 18.—Sev-
eral hundred eastbound automobile
tourists today were trying to make
the best of an enforced sojourn in
this desert town while waiting for
Arizona foot-and-mouth disease
quarantine officials to let them
cross the Colorado River and enter
Arizona after a thorough fumiga-
tion at Topock, southeast of here,
on the State line.

Meanwhile reports from Phoenix
that the embargo on all vehicular
traffic from California would re-
main in force indefinitely indicated
that Needles might still be housing
the stranded a week hence.

Food is plentiful and there is no
water shortage.

Additional Deputy Sheriffs were
being sent from El Centro to pre-
serve order at Kolb, Cal., where
nearly 500 automobile tourists have
been prevented from crossing the
Colorado River into Arizona.

Last night an appeal for aid was
telegraphed to Gov. Richardson of
California, on behalf of the tour-
ists, many of whom are said to be
practically without funds and
growing desperate over the possi-
bility of a long and costly wait be-
fore being allowed to cross the
State line. In addition, the food
shortage and the difficulty of ob-
taining water at Kolb are said to
be growing more acute daily.

Southern Presbyterians Set Record.
By the Associated Press.
NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 18.—
The Executive Committee of For-
eign Missions and other executive
agencies of the Southern Presby-
terian Church, announced today a
call to the members of the church
to observe Sunday, May 4, as a day
of thanksgiving and prayer. The
call added: "At the meeting this
week in Nashville of the Executive
Committee of Foreign Missions, re-
ports were received showing that
the work of the church for the past
12 months has broken all previous
records."

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A rich coffee cake baked in rabbit shape.

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Can a woman be too generous in marriage?

MY DAUGHTER told me that she was engaged to a young man whom she had known less than a month. Naturally, I protested a little.

"Of course I may be making a mistake," the girl flung out; "but even if I am—good heavens, Mother, we're only getting married. It needn't be a life sentence. I respect myself too much as a woman to let marriage grow into just a dull farce. You may think divorce is ugly—but it certainly doesn't look half so ugly to me as using marriage merely for a meal ticket. Oh, Mother, if you had only had the nerve in the first place to tell Father where he got off!"

A MOTHER tells this story in the May Companion. And she tells more. She confesses that her own married life degenerated into twenty-five years of neglect and disloyalty on her husband's part—which she endured patiently "for the sake of the children."

Now she asks the great family of Companion readers whether such self-

sacrifice is right. "Is it possible," she cries, "to be too generous in marriage?" Is there a way out? Is divorce the way?

SHE does not leave this question hanging in the air. She reaches a conclusion as fine as her story itself is thrilling. That is the satisfying thing about articles in the Companion. They do reach conclusions.

THEY are not merely bits of writing, printed to kill time. They are leaves out of human experience, printed to stimulate thought.

READ in the May number what this mother has concluded to say to her daughter. And discover in its other pages the personality of the woman who edits the Companion and has made it such an intimate part of Two Million women's lives.

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JAPAN RELIES ON COOLIDGE'S HELP IN EXCLUSION FIGHT

President Cannot Sign Immigration Bill and Hope to Retain Friendship of Oriental Nation.

CLIMAX IS CALLED
"CRITICAL POINT"

Hanihara's Definition of 'Gentlemen's Agreement' Shows Willingness to Exclude Nationals.

BY DAVID LAWRENCE.
A Special Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

(Copyright, 1924.)
WASHINGTON, April 18.—Japan is relying on President Coolidge to wipe out in some way the offense against her pride contained in the action of the Senate and House, whereby Japanese exclusion, hitherto a matter of informal understanding, now has been formally recognized.

The question is not whether the Japanese shall be excluded. That has been accomplished by the "gentlemen's agreement" and if it is not satisfactory, Japan stands ready to make it acceptable by any alteration deemed necessary by the United States Government.

Indeed, if the United States insists upon simply offending Japanese pride, the Government at Tokio may consider the advisability of withdrawing her co-operation in the operation of the "gentlemen's agreement" regarding it as null and void hereafter, and throwing the burden of enforcement upon the United States. At present, emigration is controlled by Japan herself through the issuance or refusal of passports to applicants. If Japan should decide to issue passports, there would ensue all sorts of complications, and the chances of the entry of many Japanese into the United States would, it is admitted by American officials, be increased.

Two Questions Presented.

Should the United States spurn the Japanese offer of co-operation? Should America permit the Japanese to be formally discriminated against in a law, when the Japanese themselves are willing to exclude their own nationals from the United States? Clearly these questions are answered in the negative by the Department of Justice. President Coolidge, however, more than Secretary Hughes, is charged with the conduct of foreign relations, and he cannot sign the immigration bill and hope to retain the friendship of the Japanese Government or its people.

Officials in the executive branch of the American Government completely exonerate Ambassador Hanihara from any intention to threaten the United States by use of the phrase "grave consequences." The idea of a nation weakened economically by the earthquake, her navy diminished in power, and her whole strength curtailed, trying to threaten the United States, is regarded by American officials here as preposterous.

Hanihara Sees U. S. Right.

The Japanese Ambassador's action in defining the "gentlemen's agreement" is looked upon at the State Department as a valuable contribution to the cause of immigration. For it puts Japan publicly on record as willing to exclude her own nationals from American shores. Since her objective and that of the American Congress is the same, why should the Senate and House insist upon offering offense to the Japanese, when the latter regard the legislation as an insult to their pride.

Hanihara's letter formally recognized the right of Congress, and of every nation, to control immigration, but the Japanese protest is not made on the grounds of illegality or international law but simply on the basis of amicable relations between peoples. To single out the Japanese among great Powers of the earth, and formally declare her subjects ineligible for admission to the United States, hurts the Japanese, who have heretofore felt that they stood on terms of equality with the white races.

The question will not be decided by allowing the pending bill to become a law through non-signature on the part of the President. Such a course may avoid executive commitment at this time, but it will not satisfy Japan. Coolidge will find Far Eastern diplomacy difficult to manage if the friendship of Japan should be lost and antagonism substituted. It is conceded in official circles that whatever is done at this stage of the controversy will leave a lasting mark on the relations between Japan and the United States in future years. The phrase "critical point" is used to describe the climax that has been reached.

Two Courses Open.

Coolidge has two courses open that will retain the friendship of Japan. He can write a letter to the Senate and House committees, asking that a substitute amendment be adopted formally including the definition of the "gentlemen's agreement" contained in Ambassador Hanihara's letter, or some other phraseology which accom-

plishes the objective of Congress, but does not offend Japan. Or he can wait until the bill comes to him and veto it with the same recommendations for change.

There is no evidence that political influences are involved, though in the past California's protests have been heeded because of that factor, especially in a presidential year. Would California protest against the accomplishment of Japanese exclusion, on the one hand, though it be accompanied by a formula less offensive to Japan? That is the substance of the controversy at the moment, and the indications are that the President will not act at once, but will permit the present extreme to die down before reopening the subject.

TWO ALLEGED SLAYERS TO BE
BROUGHT FROM MICHIGAN

Ciroro and Sam Vitelli, Brothers, Wanted Here for Murder of Their Cousin.

Two city detectives have gone to Grand Rapids, Mich., to bring back two men identified by photographs as Ciroro and Sam Vitelli, brothers, of 1511 North Fourteenth street, who are charged in warrants with the murder of their cousin, Onia (Louis) Vitelli, of 815 Wash street, in front of their home the night of May 18, 1923. The Vitellis disappeared immediately after the shooting.

Brothers of Vitelli told police they believed the Vitellis had killed Vitelli in a family feud. A few days ago the Grand Rapids police sent pictures here of "James Russo" and "Nick Palazolo," who were under arrest there. Relatives identified the men pictured as the Vitelli brothers. The warrants were issued and the prisoners agreed to return here without extradition. Vitelli's widow posted \$170 to pay the expense of getting them.

Vitelli's father-in-law, Peter Cipriano, of 1107 North Eleventh street, has made the declaration that he had seen the Vitellis shoot Vitelli. The substance of his statement follows: Vitelli went to Italy and paid \$600 to bring Ciroro Vitelli here, giving him a home, but the newcomer wouldn't work and was ejected from Vitelli's home, whereupon he went to live with his

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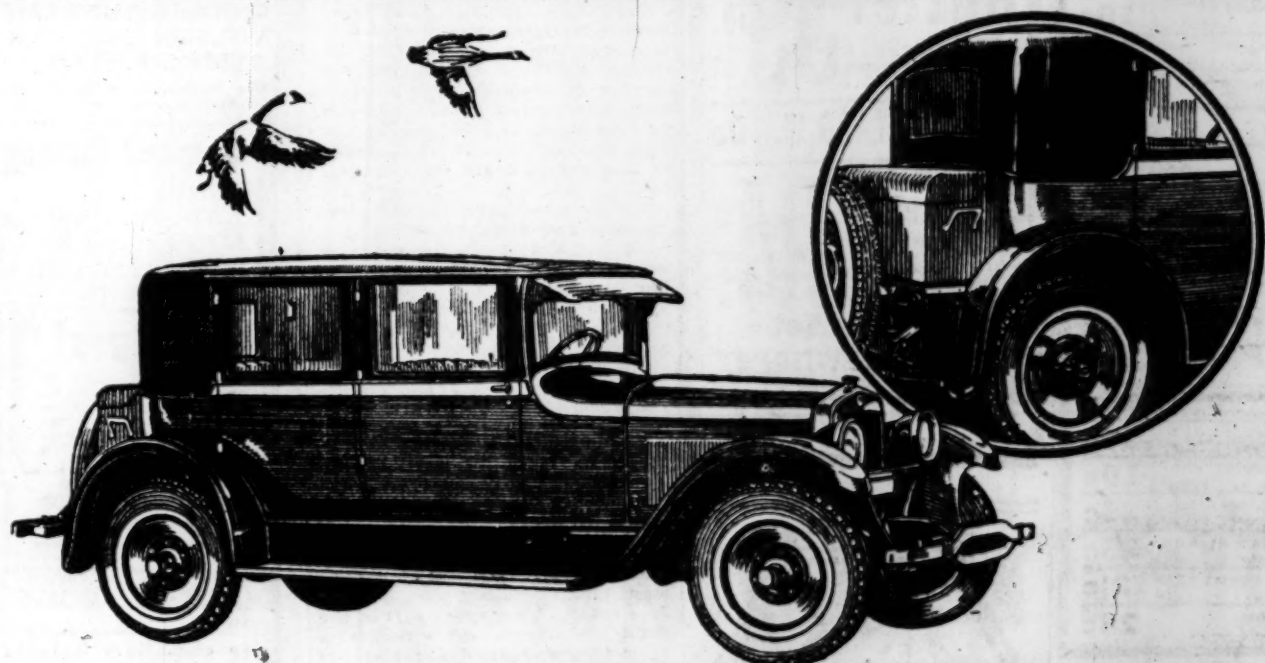
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WARD-MILLER, PAINTER, VISITING HIS FATHER HERE

Will Go to Jefferson City Tomorrow to Look Over State Capitol Decorations.

Richard Miller, noted painter, arrived in St. Louis yesterday to spend a week with his father, R. E. Miller, of 3806 Arsenal street, and

to attend to business matters and look over the new State Capitol decorations, particularly a window designed from his sketch of De Soto, discovered of the Mississippi. Today he met artist friends at the Tase Society display at 923 Locust street and arranged with Oscar Berninghaus to go to Jefferson City tomorrow. Miller remarked that the Capitol was the only State

building he expected to visit, since "as a worker in oils, he had not endangered the naval supply." Last winter he was a member of the Philadelphia jury of awards. Although Miller said he saw no reason why an artist should not reach his best in St. Louis and at the same time make a living, his own studio is in Provincetown, Mass., in what used to be a barn.

POLICEMAN-BURGLAR GIVEN TWO YEARS

Joseph Turner Sentenced by Jury for Part in Looting of Candy Store.

Joseph Turner, policeman-burglar, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary by a jury in Circuit Judge Falkenhainer's Court in a sealed verdict opened today.

The jury yesterday heard evidence that Turner and Gustave Vollmer, patrolman of the Angelica Street District, had looted a candy store at 5036 North Broadway on Dec. 8, but it did not hear about the policeman's brass button, the slender clew which disclosed the presence of burglars in the Police Department.

The button, which fit Vollmer's coat, will be used in the trial of his case, now pending.

Policeman Turner's conviction was based on testimony of Joseph Banker, 4034 Benedict street, who declared he was hired to haul the loot from near the store to a house at 5034 Benedict street, where the policeman divided it. Turner told a rambling story of his whereabouts and failed to explain the presence of a stolen cash register in the basement of his home at 2016 O'Fallon street.

The tell-tale button was found at the looted store. At roll call it was noted a similar button was missing from Patrolman Vollmer's coat tail. Confessions followed, police officials say, but were later repudiated. Turner's sentence was the minimum prescribed by law. Vollmer lives at 4235 North Twenty-first street.

COOLIDGE, IT IS SAID, WILL APPROVE HOUSE BONUS BILL

Democratic Senators, Urging Inclusion of Cash Option, May Withhold Their Proposal.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—On the basis of reports that President Coolidge probably would approve the pending insurance-soldier bonus bill, some Democratic Senate leaders are considering the advisability of withholding their proposal for incorporation in the measure of a full cash payment option.

Reports of the President's attitude were received through American Legion officials. Democratic Senators said, with the word that inclusion of a full cash payment option, requiring an immediate Government bond issue, would endanger the prospects of the bill becoming law.



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Two Dead in Night Flying Crash
By the Associated Press.
SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 18.—Night flying claimed its first fatalities here last night when Lieut. E. A. Frederick, instructor, and

Lieut. R. H. McCauley were killed here when their plane crashed. Both bodies were burned when the plane ignited from exploding. Both men were residents of San Antonio.

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SAYS SENATE LISTENS TO OUIJA BOARD

Senator Moses Characterizes Witnesses as "Procession of Divorcees and Divekeepers."

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 18.—Senator George H. Moses, in an address before the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association here, said that he was chairman of three Senate investigating committees and a member of a fourth. He criticized the trend of some investigations now under way, but concluded with the promise that any evil found would be brought to light and responsible ones punished.

In his address last night he spoke of the senatorial belief in the "heaven-born gift of investigation" and described the inquiries as the "motley procession of witnesses stalking across the center of the stage at Washington—divorcees, drunks, divekeepers, dope fiends, disgruntled, discharged Government employees, reformed bandits, people out of a job and anyone with a grievance."

"And the result," he asserted, "is that the time of public servants in the Senate has been taken up listening to tales from small country towns told to a Ouija board which it got from someone dead about someone now without the committee's jurisdiction."

"One little fact has been proved. It is shown that one in prominent position told one unnecessary and wholly futile lie and on that whole structure of this scandal that is alarming the country has been built up."

"Our fathers intended that the United States should be a republic with republican institutions, but the Luther Burbanks of politics, only too successful, have grafted on scions of democracy that have resulted only in a hybrid."

"Time was when the motto of this country was 'E Pluribus Unum'; today it is 'pass the buck.' The individual passes it to a city official, the city official to some county official, the county official to the state Legislature and the state Legislature brings it to Congress."

"The country is ruled by noisy, insolent minorities who have organized and seized on the agencies of publicity and propaganda and now find it possible to enforce their demands on those in Washington."

"Out of all this confusion emerges one clear-cut, sane, courageous vision—a President who knows the needs of the country and stands ready to serve those

needs with his utmost power."

Edge Criticizes Senate for "Orgy of Investigations."

NEWARK, N. J., April 18.—United States Senator Walter E. Edge of New Jersey, speaking here last night at a meeting under the auspices of the Coolidge-for-President Club, assailed the Senate for its "orgy of investigations."

"The United States Senate is sitting as a grand jury to indict, a petit jury to convict and a judge to sentence without giving the defendant the opportunity to appear in court," he said. "The Senate sentences a man by passing a resolution calling for his resignation."

"If any men are at fault they should be punished. If one or even a dozen men in high positions of trust go wrong, there is no reason to indict a great political party."

"The President has appointed two great lawyers to handle the cases in the courts where they properly belong, and I am sure the guilty will be punished in courts. The smoke screen of investigations was started to hide the accomplishments of the administration."

"WILLIAM TELL" STUNT FATAL

Cowpuncher Accepts Challenge to Shoot Hat; Kills Wearer.

HARDIN, Mont., April 19.—A "William Tell" stunt, without the apple, resulted recently in the death of Henry Abendroth and the conviction of William Cosgrove for manslaughter.

The two men were employed on a nearby ranch as cowpunchers. Abendroth, holding out his hat, challenged Cosgrove to shoot a hole through it. Cosgrove, reputedly an expert shot, fired and missed.

Abendroth then placed the hat on his head and told Cosgrove to try to hit it in that position. Cosgrove fired again and Abendroth fell shot through the head.

Cosgrove was sentenced to from one to two years in the penitentiary, but the sentence was suspended and he was released with an admonition.

900 YEARS OF CHRISTIANITY

Norway Will Celebrate Anniversary

Correspondence of the Associated Press.

CHRISTIANIA, April 2.—The

900th anniversary of the official establishment of Christianity in Norway is to be celebrated during June.

It was in the year 1024 that the first acceptance of Christian doctrine and their embodiment in the religious laws took place at the little stone church of Moser, situated on an island in the sea channel between Hauge and Bergen. The anniversary will be accompanied by many festivities and ceremonies of historical interest, and it is expected that the King of Norway will attend.

Burglar Takes Marshal's Trousers.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PITTSBURG, Texas.—A thief used good judgment here when he robbed several homes including that of City Marshal John Guest. When the other residents discovered the losses they telephoned the marshal, asking him to apprehend the thief. The marshal hustled out of bed but discovered the thief had visited his home also and that he could not promptly attend to his official duties because the invading forces had taken his trousers, a gold watch and some money.

ORIGINAL "NATIVE SON" IS 77

First Child Born in California of American Parents.

By the Associated Press.
KING CITY, Cal., April 18.—Ben Hames, the first child born in California of American parents, recently celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday at his home here. He was born in Sacramento April 3, 1847. He has watched most of the growth of the State.

Hames' father, a New Yorker, was a ship's carpenter and after a cruise around the world reached California in 1842, six years before the gold rush. Ben's mother crossed the plains from Arkansas in 1842.

Three Eggs in One Shell.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PARAGOULD, Ark.—Mrs. Sam Thomason, 440 East Garland street, while preparing a meal, broke an egg to be used in the cooking and to her surprise found inside the large shell three smaller eggs, each of which was covered with a shell of its own. No yolk was disclosed in the large shell.

No More Dining Cars in Brussels.

By the Associated Press.

BRUSSELS, April 18.—The off many Belgian trains toward economy. This move shortly will be extended to all. The first eliminations of the were made effective of and from Germany.

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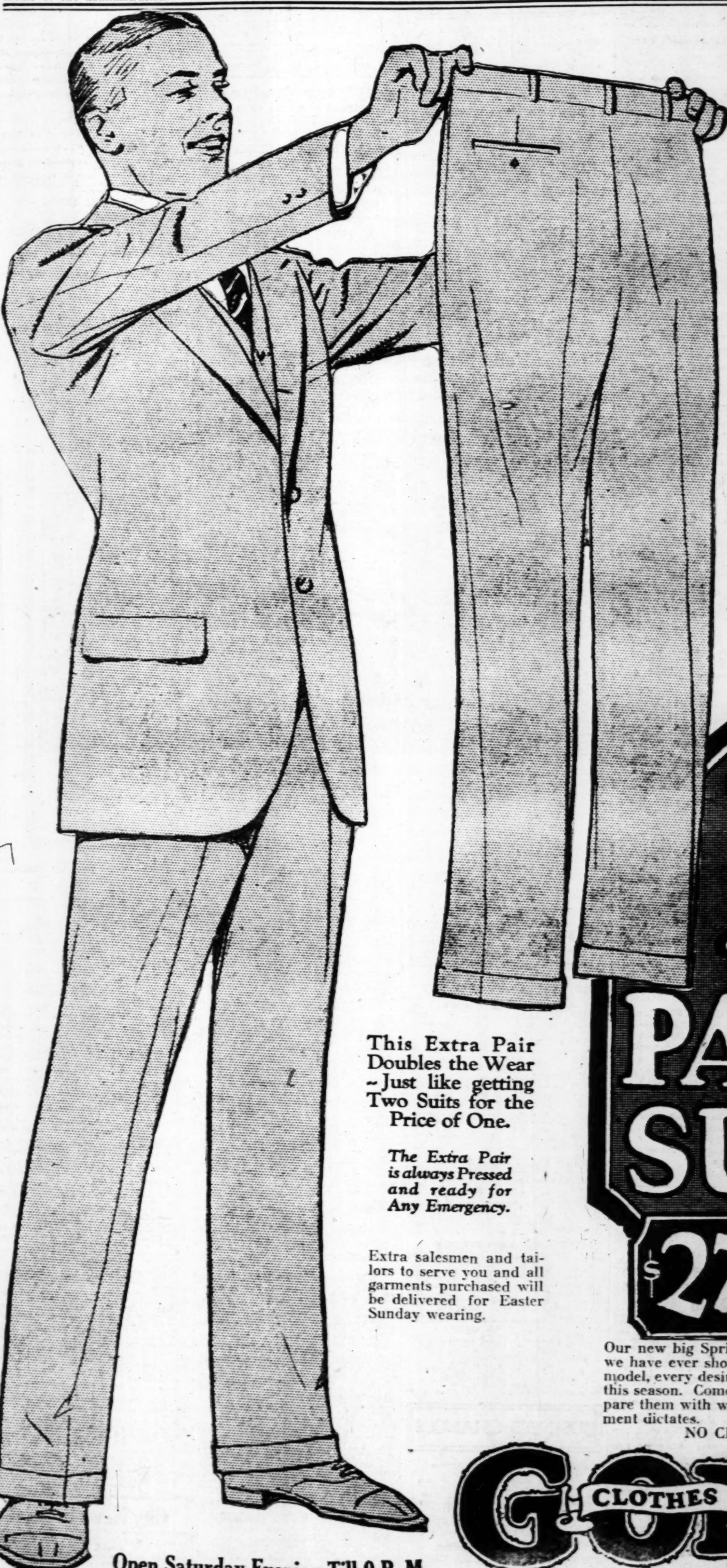
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A YOUNG PRIZE BEAUTY



Gene Darke of New York, who was chosen as one of the prize beauties among the stage children of the country. The association selected 12 of the prettiest from among all the youngsters engaged in theatrical work.
—International Newswire Photo.

PONCE DE LEON QUEEN



Miss Edith Power, 21 years old, took the part of the Queen during the Ponce de Leon celebration at St. Augustine. She is garbed as a Spanish Queen of the fifteenth century.
—Kadel & Herbert News Photos.

RADIO SET FOR TRAIN'S PASSENGERS

A lounge room on "The Canada" of the Canadian National Railway, the first train to be equipped with a radio receiving set to enable passengers on board to hear the concerts of the various broadcasting stations while on a long trip. A few years ago the Lackawanna system installed radio sets on some of their trains, but it was for the purpose of communication only.
—Wide World Photo.



PARIS ELECTS QUEEN OF THE SIDEWALKS



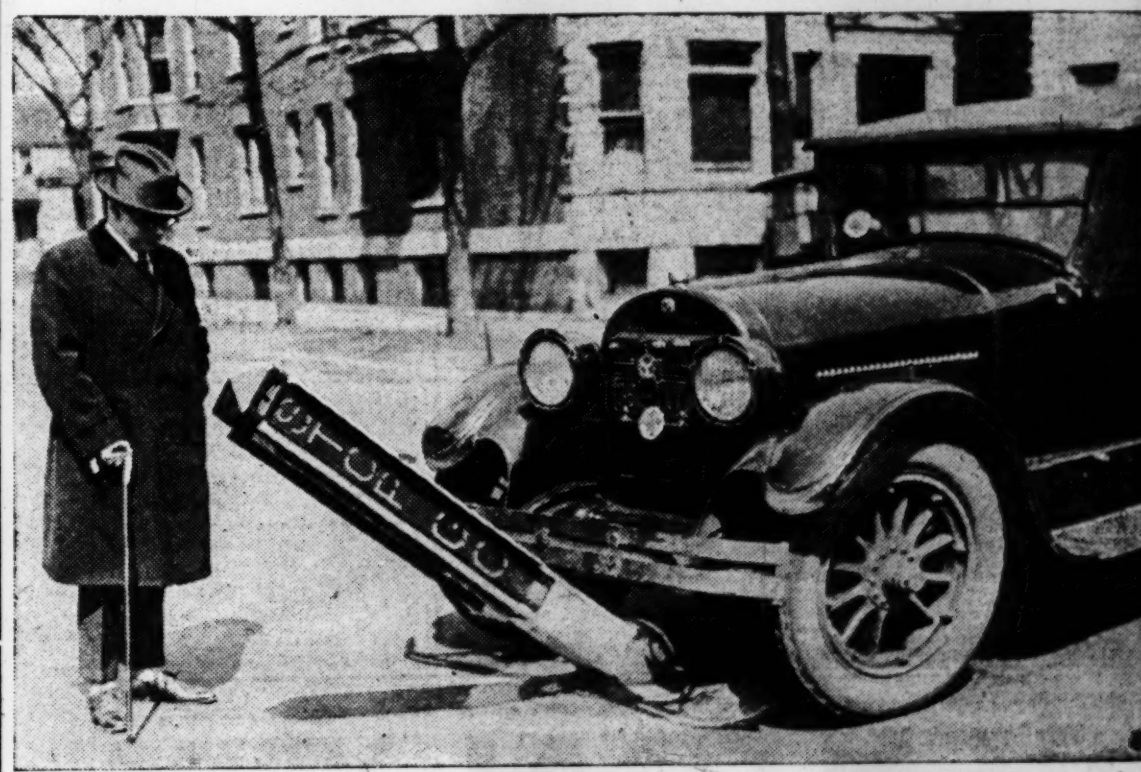
Paris has just elected "The Esmeralda des Forains." She is chosen from the girls who earn their living in the streets of Paris or suburbs, as flower sellers, fruit sellers, etc., also from the traveling circuses and other professions that are outdoors. The photo shows Mlle. Debanne (center) as Queen of the "Forains," and her maids of honor.
—Kadel & Herbert Photo.

A NEW BOOTLEGGING OUTFIT



Jennie McGregor, flapper-bootlegger of Minneapolis, sprung a new wrinkle on Federal prohibition agents when her arrest revealed two novel liquor containers. Miss McGregor was able to carry two gallons of moonshine in the containers which fitted closely around her body. Her fur coat cleverly concealed them.

FOR RECKLESS DRIVERS



In order that reckless drivers may not do so much injury to themselves and demolish so many signal posts, Chicago has installed a post that permits an automobile to drive right over it without any injury to the car or the post.
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"WET GOODS" IN QUEEN'S DOLL HOUSE



English prohibitionists have been roused to indignation and entered a formal protest against the wine cellar in Queen Mary's \$1,000,000 doll house, built for the British Empire Exhibition. The cases in the cellar contain miniature bottles of champagne and other alcoholic beverages.
—Wide World Photo.

BREAKING GROUND FOR THE NEW JEWISH HOSPITAL



Ground was broken yesterday morning for the \$2,000,000 Jewish Hospital at Kingshighway and Forest Park boulevard. The photograph of the ceremonies shows, in the foreground, Rabbi Leon Harrison, Aaron Waldheim, president of the hospital board, and Dr. Hanau Loeb, who will head the hospital staff.

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BREAD

A Powerful Story of Today
By Charles G. Norris
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CHAPTER TWO

JEANNETTE studied the rows of salads, pots of baked beans, the pickled pig's feet, and sausages. Everything looked appetizing to her, and the place smelled fragrantly of fresh cold meat and creamy cheeses. Most of the edibles Kratzmer offered so invitingly she had never tasted. She would have liked to begin at one end of the marble counter and sample everything that was on it. She looked curiously at the woman near her who had just purchased some weird-looking, pickled things called "mangoes," and gone on selecting imported cheeses and little oval round cans with French and Italian labels upon them. Jeannette wondered if she, herself, would ever come to know a time when she could order of Kratzmer so prodigally. She was sick of the everlasting struggle at home of what they should get for lunch or dinner. It was always determined by the number of cents involved.

"Well, dearie," her mother invariably remonstrated at some suggestion of her own, "that would cost 30 cents and perhaps it would be wiser to wait until next week."

A swift, vague vision arose of the vital years that were close at hand—the vital years in which she must marry and decide the course of her whole future life. Was her preparation for this all-important time ever to be beset by a consideration of pennies and makeshifts?

"Well, Miss Sturgis, vat iss it tonight?"

Fat Mrs. Kratzmer smiled blandly at her over the glass shelf above the marble counter. Jeannette watched her as she deftly cracked thin paper about the two loaves, tied and snapped the pink string. Kratzmer and his wife were fat with big stomachs and round, double chins; even Elsa Kratzmer, their daughter, who went to the High School with Jeannette and Alice, was fat and had a double chin. The family had probably all they wanted to eat and a great deal more; there must be an enormous amount of food left on the platters and dishes and in the pans at the end of each day that would spoil before morning. Kratzmer, his wife and daughter must gorge themselves night after night. Jeannette reflected as she began to climb the four long flights of stairs to her own apartment. It was disgusting, of course, to think of eating that way—but oh, what a feast she and Alice would have if they might change places with the trio for a night or two!

As she reached the second landing, a thick smell of highly seasoned frying food assailed her. This was the floor on which the Armenians lived, and a pungent odor from their cooking frequently permeated the entire building. The front door of their apartment was open and as Jeannette was passing it, Dikron Najarian came out. He was a tall young man of 23 or 24, of extraordinary swarthy beauty, with black wavy masses of hair, and enormous dark eyes. He and his sister, Rosa—who was a few years older and equally handsome—often met the young Sturgis girls on the stairs or fumbling with the key to the mail-box in the entrance-way below. Jeannette and Alice used to giggle silyly after they had encountered Dikron, and would exchange ridiculous confidences concerning him. They regarded the young man as far too old to be interested in either of themselves and therefore took his unusual beauty and odd, foreign manner as proper targets for their laughter.

Jeannette now instinctively straightened herself as she encountered her neighbor. Upon the instant a feminine challenge emanated from her.

"Hello," Dikron said, taken unawares and obviously embarrassed. "Been out?"

For some obscure reason Jeannette did not understand, she elected at that moment to coquet. She had never given the young Armenian a serious thought before, but now she became aware of the effect their sudden encounter had had upon him. She paused on the lower step of the next flight and hung for a moment over the balustrade. Alirily, she explained her errand to Kratzmer's.

"What smells so good?" she asked presently.

She thought the odor abominable, but it did not suit her mood to say so.

"Mother's cooking mussels tonight; they're wonderful, stuffed with rice and peppers. . . . Have you ever tasted them? Could I send some upstairs?"

Jeannette laughed hastily, and shook her head.

"No—no—thanks very much. . . . I'm afraid we wouldn't."

She was going to say "appreciate them" but left the sentence unfinished. "I must go on up; mother's waiting for the bread."

But she made no immediate move, and the young man continued to lean against the wall below her. Their conversation, however, died dismally at this point, and after a moment's uncomfortable silence, the girl began nimbly to mount the stairs, flinging over her shoulder a somewhat abrupt "Goodnight."

"Get your bread, dearie!" Mrs. Sturgis asked cheerfully as Jeannette came panting into the kitchen and flung her package down upon the table. Her daughter did not answer out dropped into a chair to catch her breath.

Mrs. Sturgis was bustling about, pottering over the gas stove, stirring a sauce-pan of stewing kidneys, banging shut the oven door after a brief inspection of a browning custard. Alice had just finished setting the table in the dining-room, and now came in, to break the string about the bread and begin to slice it vigorously. Jeannette interestedly observed what they were to have for dinner. It was one of the same old combinations with which she was familiar, and a feeling of weary distaste welled up within her, but a glimpse of her mother's face checked it.

Mrs. Sturgis invariably wore lace jabots during the day. These were high-collared affairs, reinforced with wire, or whale-bones, and they fastened firmly around the throat, the lace falling in rich, frothy cascades at the front. They were the only extravagance the hard-working little woman allowed herself, and she justified them on the ground that they were becoming and she must be presentable at the fashionable girls' school where she was a teacher, and also at Signor Bellini's studio where she was the paid accompanist. The final touch of adornment she allowed herself was two fine gold chains about her neck. From the longer was suspended her watch which she carried tucked into the waist-band of her skirt; while the other held her eye-glasses which, when not in use, hung on a hook at her shoulder.

The tight lace collars creased and wrinkled her throat, and made her cheeks bulge slightly over them, giving her face a round full expression. When she was excited and wagged her head, or when she laughed, her fat little cheeks shook like cups of jelly. But as soon as her last pupil had departed for the day, off came the gold chains and the jabot. She was more comfortable without the confining band about her neck though her real reason for laying her lacy ruffles aside was to keep them fresh and unrumpled. Stripped of her frills, her daughters were accustomed to see her in the early mornings, and evenings, with the homely V-shaped garment about her withered neck, her cheeks, lacking the support of the tight collar, sagging loosely. Habit was strong with Mrs. Sturgis. Jeannette and Alice were often amused at seeing their mother still flicking and tussling with an unconscious finger an imaginary frill long after it had been laid aside.

Continued in the Post-Dispatch

Envy the Millionaire

By William A. McKeever

Noted Lecturer and Authority on Educational and Sociological Subjects.

YOUR boy will at times be inclined to boast as to how he is going to be a millionaire some day. Ask him how? Find out what he knows about the price to be paid. Recently I visited two of these envied and much misunderstood men. It was Saturday afternoon. The wage-earners were out for their usual holiday. The employed force all out of the way gave the two "easy street" residents a chance to work and live their life.

One thing which especially impressed me and which your ambitious boy should know about is that these rich men work nearly all the time. One of the two whom I called on said to me: "I work Saturday afternoons, Christmas, New Year's day and all the other holidays and never catch up. I try to do double work on Saturday afternoons. Have been at this job now something like 40 years."

Another interesting feature of this man's life is that he nearly always abides by a simple daily routine. In these two cases the meals were regular, simple and light. All the materials were modest and the things for which the heart of youth longs seemed to count for little. Both men were temperate and free from the use of liquor and tobacco.

Here, then, we have two rich merchants, builders of a mammoth business, each in his own class, through long years of close application to work and duty. They learned early to go without the very things which the average ambitious boy of today imagines a millionaire revels in—fine clothes, diamonds, polite social affairs, high power cars, expensive trips, extravagant furnishings, many seven-course dinners, and the like.

Come to think about it, does your boy really want to pay the price of becoming a millionaire? Is it not the "paste diamond millionaire" which he envies? Is it not the slick fellow who can flash a roll before the crowd, who flits by in his high-power machine, and who buys up the best space at theaters and fashionable resorts, while he burns up many 25-cent cigars? Is it not this sort of "millionaire" which your boy envies?

Well, the flashy fellow described above is a fraud, and your boy should be shown how to see through his veneer of cheapness. Look at his eye and you will probably see dullness. Look at his countenance and you will probably see evidence of greed. Look at the daily routine of his life for an average week and you will probably see selfishness and abuse of bought privilege.

Your boy can properly be taught to strive for material wealth, but his ambition for spiritual riches must go along with the other. His foundation for abundance must be laid in hard work with a mastery of routine and of temperate living.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

Remove All Acid.

When cleaning brass or copper with acids, be sure to remove all traces of acid, washing the article in clear water after polishing. Otherwise the tarnish will soon reappear.

Copper Kettles.

Copper kettles will polish more quickly if filled first with boiling water. Let stand about three minutes, then pour out and apply polish to the heated surface.

Put Them Away Clean.

It is getting close to the time for putting away the heavy clothes. Don't put away coats, suits or wraps away without first having them cleaned. No matter how much camphor is put in the folds, the moths will find the soiled places and eat holes in them. It is well worth the cost of a good cleaning.

Random Tips.

A poultice of oatmeal and cold water will draw the fire from a burn.

When cleaning fish or fowl they will be easier to handle if you cover your fingers with salt.

Cold water is much better than hot for scrubbing floors, as it does not soak into the wood so readily and consequently dries sooner.

Keep a cork on the end of the crocheted needle when not in use and the needle will not work through the basket and become broken or lost.

If you want to test the coffee you use, add a few drops of lemon juice to a glass of cold water. If pure the coffee will remain on top of the water. If not, the water will at once change to a brown color.

Two Women Who Will Represent Missouri Democrats at the National Convention

Sketched by Marguerite Martyn

By MARGUERITE MARTYN.

MRS. ANNA NOLAN CHRISTIAN, the dark horse candidate for delegate-at-large to the Democratic national convention—who broke the slate of both Reed and anti-Reed factions at the convention, and who was supported by some Reed faction votes, is not of that faction. She is editor and owner of a weekly paper in her home town, Monroe City, and as secretary of the Press Association has a wide acquaintance among rural newspaper editors and their readers, whom were many delegates to the convention. In her paper she always has opposed Senator Reid all his works, but Reed tacticians at Springfield, observing her popularity out in the State, and that their own candidate, Mrs. Nat Brown of St. Louis, might lose for want of that rural influence, threw their influence to Mrs. Christian. The object was—anything to embarrass the enemy, though it is true the result may have come about through the intricate system of trading was going on in the final hours of the elections.

However it may have come about, anti-Reed women are chuckling, not only over the results but amusedly over the incident of Reed tacticians being put to the extremity of supporting anti-Reed woman in order to defeat the well-laid plans of anti-Reed candidates against whom they had a more bitter grudge.

A pleasant surprise, after all the other elections were over, was the nomination of Miss Mable Scott as Elector-at-Large, the vote by acclamation and the enthusiastic consent to make it unanimous.

The honor was conferred upon Miss Scott, as a consolation prize after she had refused to stand for Delegate-at-Large when it involved infringement upon the campaign being made for her by Mrs. Fred A. Reid. Miss Scott is president of the Women's Democratic Club of St. Louis. Mrs. Reid is secretary. It was for the sake of harmony among members of this club that Miss Scott withdrew or declined the importunities of her friends to place her in nomination.

It had been agreed, it seems at St. Louis district caucus, in order to show appreciation of Scott's conspicuous work for the party, to pay her this compliment, so she did not so much as hint at a candidacy for Elector-at-Large.

She had at the time of her election only a vague idea of the duties of an Elector-at-Large, and said:

The applause which greeted the suggestion that her election be unanimous was so widespread and hearty among delegates from all over the State as to make it a distinct personal tribute to Miss



MRS. ANNA NOLAN CHRISTIAN
DELEGATE-AT-LARGE TO THE
DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION
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HEROINES OF HISTORY

Significant Incidents in the Lives of Famous Women
By MARK STUYVESANT

The Quiet Way Cornelia Beekman Saved Her Country

BEFORE the Revolution in a beautiful stone mansion on Croton River, New York, resided Pierre van Cortland, afterward Lieutenant-Governor of the State of New York, under George Clinton.

Pierre van Cortland owned extensive lands in Westchester, Putnam and Dutchess Counties, which he purchased from the Indians, and his home was known as Cortland Manor House.

It was here that Cornelia, his daughter, was born. And it was here that Cornelia, when she was 17 years old, married Gerard G. Beekman.

The young bride and her husband moved to New York and resided in the street which today bears their name. But it was not long when their happy, peaceful life was disturbed by the rumblings of war clouds.

Mrs. Beekman saw the imposing procession of the mechanics of New York march through the town carrying their tools to the solemn strains of the funeral march. There she saw them lay their tools in a coffin and bury them in the Pater's Field. And it was then that she saw them return from the graveyard, each with a musket on his shoulder, and present himself for service to his country.

It was not feasible now to continue to live in the city, so Mrs. Beekman returned to Croton, to her girlhood home, bringing her children and servants.

Two miles away from her home was encamped the American army and Mrs. Beekman's house was a center for many meetings of the leaders of our young country.

At one period of the war Mrs. Beekman and her children were obliged to flee for safety. When she returned she found her house had been ransacked—the only article left unbroken in all the house was an empty bottle.

Soon Gen. Beekman and Gen. Webb called on her, and immediately sent her an army outfit for cooking and housekeeping. These she received with gratitude.

Mrs. Beekman met all the hardships and inconveniences to which she was subjected with fortitude and courage. She even used some of the unpleasant incidents as subjects for jokes and merriment. It was her type of womanhood that made it possible for the men who were bearing the responsibilities and burdens of war to continue with hope and confidence.

An interesting story is told of a young officer asking Mrs. Beekman to keep his uniform for him, and of her stout refusal to turn it over to another officer who called for it, saying that the first young man had sent for it.

As it happened the uniform was sought for and sent to him to make his escape through the American lines. This was thwarted by the determination of Cornelia Beekman not to give up, save to its owner, something that had been entrusted to her keeping.

At one period of the war two British colonels, Bayard and Fanning, entered Mrs. Beekman's house. One of the officers demanded:

"Are you the daughter of that old rebel, Pierre Van Cortland?" With great dignity, Mrs. Beekman replied:

"I am the daughter of Pierre Van Cortland, but it becomes not such as you to call my father a rebel."

Immediately the Colonel seized a

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musket and leveled it, but Mrs. Beekman calmly stood facing him and bade him leave her house, which he did with much embarrassment.

Mrs. Beekman lived to be 95 years old. She was a real lady of the old school—brilliant of mind, refined of manners and possessing great personal beauty. But, better than all of these qualities was her patriotism and high-spirited love of country, which she expressed during her long and useful life.

The Housewife's Scrapbook

WHEN serving sliced oranges for breakfast sprinkle a little coconut over them for a change. Another time also add sliced bananas and sprinkle with powdered sugar.

Never use soft butter or lard for pie crust. Shortening for this purpose should be hard and very cold.

If there is no meat grinder available mince the cold meat by rubbing over a coarse grater.

When cooking a pudding make sure it boils continually. If this process is interrupted the pudding will be heavy.

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SAUCED EGGS.

Heat a shallow baking dish, then put in little lumps of butter to grease it well. Break in carefully, eight or more eggs without breaking the yolks. Pour over them a sauce consisting of one ounce of butter, a little spiced syrup, pepper and salt, and bake them until they are set. Serve them garnished with broiled bacon strips.

OLD-FASHIONED SOUP.

Scrub a dozen hard eggs, put them into a saucepan, cover and steam them over a low fire. When done remove them from the shells and chop them finely. Add a little clam liquor into a bowl and add to it a pint of milk and a little celery salt and flour rubbed to a cream. The soup is smooth and thickened, add the eggs and the mixture a few minutes.

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Brief Stories

Expecting Too Much

By Ruth Leigh

"He'll help me, all right," declared a young friend who was out of employment seeking a position. "He said a long time ago that he'd help me, but I could call on him now."

"I'm not sorry to hurt this gentleman's self-esteem," said a very honest truth. "For reason folks offer help freely, and, curiously enough, the ones who need help are freest offered help are freest."

"That may be a cynical answer," said a friend. "For truth, but it is. For reason or other, when we're asked to help, we're asked to help."

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The Man on the Sandbox

COPPERED.

ACCORDING to the experts
The Yankee team is in;
And that is why
We pass them by
And pick the Browns to win.

If not the Browns the Tigers
Or the Indians, too,
Have got a chance
To lead the dance
And trim the Yankee crew.

Four pennants in succession
Comiskey's Browns won;
But to repeat
That wondrous feat
It simply can't be done.

TOO TRUE.

The man on the sandbox says
to hear a golfer talk about mental
hazards would make a chess
player laugh himself to death.

Don't know about the rabbits
but the fellow over the way says
he'll bet Harry Thaw would stam-
pede the squirrels if he ever got
out.

Walter Johnson's 4-bit shut-out
of the Athletics indicates that old
Fireball is set for his eighteenth
banner season.

Thanks to Dutch Reuther's left
hand the Robins got off on the
right foot.

Judge Landis might go a step
further and say that pitching the
first ball of an opening game is
the bunk.

We notice that the Democrats
failed to klap the klieg's wings
at Springfield, Mo.

FAIR ENOUGH.

WHENEVER you're feeling ill
and blue
Come across the bridge to East St.
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The best old town in all the land.
Where we have a levee built of
sand;
And a Levee Board to spend the
dough
And a baby Panama, also.
And a Mayor and four Commis-
sioners, too.
Who sometimes scrap the whole
day through.
Come spend the day and stay all
night.
And we'll do our best to treat you
right.

—J. E. K.

WE THANK you kindly, dear
old scout.
And note the latch string hanging
out;
When your canal has been put
through
Perhaps we may drop in on you.
LOOKS THAT WAY.

The man on the sandbox says
judging by the names of the more
prominent moonshiners and boot-
leggers, the melting pot is being
used for a still.

See where President Coolidge
Sundayed on the Midflow. The
old Puritan blood will out.
We don't know what the Sunday
dinner consisted of but we take it
the piece de resistance was Ply-
mouth Rock chickens.

The reference to the piece de re-
sistance is not intended as any re-
flection whatsoever on the tender-
ness of the Plymouth Rock chick-
ens, if any.

The President has enough tough
old birds in the Senate to contend
with without handing him any
springless spring chickens.

FAVORITE STORIES

By Irvin S. Cobb.

THE EXPLANATION OF A GENIUS.

THE scene is an insane asylum. A visitor going the rounds in the
ward where the harmless inmates stay, meets a patient who
strikes him as having a sane look. The pair fall into conver-
sation. The dialogue runs after this fashion:

"I say, now," states the visitor, "you'll pardon me, I'm sure,
when I tell you that to me you have every appearance of being per-
fectly normal."

"You're right—I am normal. It is a cursed outrage that I'm
kept here. But there's a conspiracy against me. By profession I am
an inventor. Are you, by any chance, interested in inventions?"

"Oh, yes."

"Well, my greatest invention—the thing that I worked on for
years to perfect—is a fly trap. Would you like to hear about it?"

"Yes, indeed."

"Come over in the corner, where nobody can eavesdrop on us,
and don't breathe it to a soul. Can I trust you?"

"Certainly."

"I've had enough trouble with Rockefeller and Charlie Schwab
and Morgan and Henry Ford already. They want to keep me from
making all the money in the world. Come away from that window;
somebody might be listening there to overhear us. Listen. Would
you be willing to pay a dollar a year if I kept you free from flies."

"Certainly. I'd give as high as \$2."

"Well, now, get this: There are a hundred million people in
the United States. At a dollar a throw that would make me the
richest man in the United States every twelve months."

"What does the trap look like?"

"Oh, very simple. Shut that door. Now listen: I get a marble
slab a hundred feet square. In the middle of it I put up a steel
column 21 feet high and four feet in diameter. If Schwab hadn't
bounced me into this institution I might have placed a big order for
steel with him, but if I ever get out Gary gets my business. Well, on
each side of the steel column I lean two stepladders, each with 21
rungs. On the flat top of the column I place four bird cages. Put
your hat over that knothole. Somebody's listening. On the top of
the bird cages I place an American flag. You can't sell anything in
this country without beautifying it.

"The next move is to catch the fly. You are aware, I suppose,
that a single housefly will lay 30,000 eggs a day, and there is no
telling what a married one will lay. Well, after catching the fly you
start it up the ladder on the right-hand side, coaxing it along gently
until it comes to the first bird cage, which is hooked up with the other
three bird cages, so that there is a continuous passage through all
four. The fly, being an intelligent creature, strolls leisurely down
the line, coming finally to the ladder on the left-hand side. Now,
mister, this is where my invention gets classy. The fly starts down,
under the impression that he has escaped. He gets as far as the
eighth rung from the bottom and stops to congratulate himself. Now,
watch. Come away from that draft. When he gets to the seventh
rung, why it ain't there, and the fly falls through and breaks his neck
on the marble slab. Let's get out of here. Here comes a capitalist I
don't like."

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LAWYER IN OFFICE WITH GUS NATIONS TO AID PRATHER

Charles Revelle Appears as Attorney When Former State Official Gives Bond in Beer Case.

JACOB L. BABLER ONE OF SURETIES

Ex-Pure Food Commissioner and Raymond Griesedieck Indicted in Protection Scandal.

Charles S. Prather, who resigned as State Pure Food and Drug Commissioner March 9, appeared before United States Commissioner Atkins today and furnished \$5000 bond under an indictment returned last Saturday in which he was charged with conspiracy to violate the national prohibition law. He was indicted jointly with Raymond B. Griesedieck of the Griesedieck Brothers Brewery Co., who confessed that he paid Prather about \$12,000 for "protection" when the brewery was selling real beer.

Charles Revelle His Lawyer. With Prather was his attorney, Charles Revelle, former Judge of the Missouri Supreme Court. This caused some surprise because of the fact that the door of Revelle's law office at 1502 International Life Building also bears the name of "Gus O. Nations." Nations is chief prohibition enforcement agent and led the raid on the Griesedieck brewery Feb. 21, when the protection scandal came to light.

As sureties, Prather presented Jacob L. Babler, Republican National Committee member, George H. Hohmann, an inspector of the Food and Drug Department, and Pickens M. Harper.

It is recalled that Nations raided the brewery just as special investigators from Washington were gathered here and watching with considerable effort at secrecy. Rumors of beer with a "kick" and protection at the Griesedieck plant had been widespread, but Nations got there first and arrested more than 40 of the officials and employees of the brewery.

A Post-Dispatch reporter telephoned Revelle's law office this afternoon and Nations answered the telephone.

"I make no statements to the Post-Dispatch," he said. Then Revelle was called to the phone.

Statement by Revelle. "Mr. Nations used my office when he was appointed to his present position," Revelle said. "He has the privilege of using this office for any private law business he may have. He has never been associated with me in the practice of law. I represent Mr. Prather. Mr. Nations is not in the case, and I know of no other attorneys that are in it."

A few minutes thereafter a reporter found Prather in Revelle's office. Nations was not in sight.

LEVIATHAN DEFEATS OLYMPIC IN 4-DAY RACE ON ATLANTIC

John McCormack, Tenor, Passenger on U. S. Ship, Gives Concert to Celebrate Victory.

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PARIS, April 12.—The American steamship Leviathan has won her trans-Atlantic race with the Olympic by a margin of several hours.

It was Tuesday that the dim outline of the Olympic was first seen on the distant horizon. When it became known that the Leviathan's captain intended making efforts to overhaul her, there was great delight aboard. John McCormack, tenor, began sending wireless messages to friends on the Olympic.

When on Wednesday evening the Olympic's lights were seen just ahead, the excitement among the passengers crowding the decks was intense, the two ships exchanging salutations as they raced side by side.

Eventually the Olympic dropped astern and the passengers of the Leviathan celebrated the victory by a special concert with Georgeette Le Blanc and McCormack as the principal artists. The American ship landed her passengers last night at Cherbourg.

The Leviathan passed the Olympic yesterday, arriving several hours in advance. The United States liner carried 5200 bags of mail.